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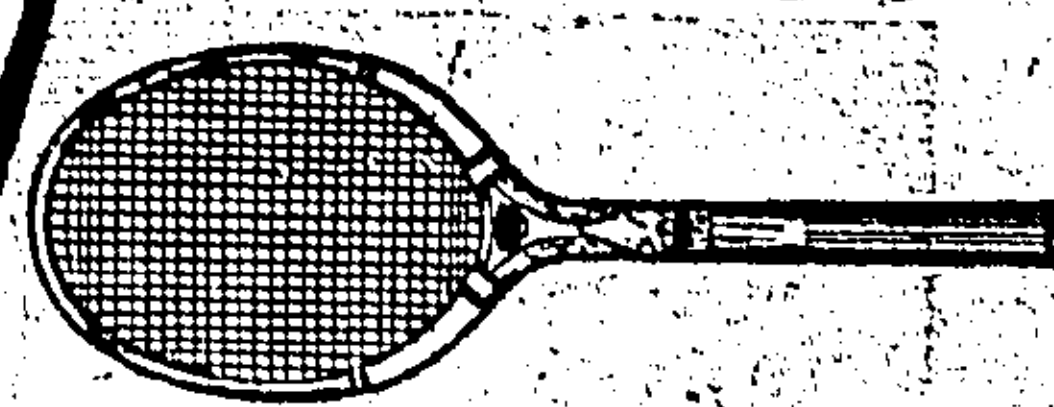
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GOVERNMENT AND THE DOLLAR.

WAITING FOR REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

WILL SEEK EXPERT ADVICE IF RECOMMENDED.

SEND DATA HOME.

In view of the demand made in many quarters that the time has arrived for some Government action in regard to the dollar crisis, a *Telegraph* representative this morning interviewed a prominent official at the Colonial Secretariat, with a view to ascertaining official opinion on the matter. He was informed that the Government would take no action until the Currency Committee had reported, but if the Committee thought that expert advice from Home were necessary, steps would be taken to secure it.

To Await Report.

Bearing in mind that the special Committee appointed to make exhaustive enquiries into the problem is shortly expected to submit its report and findings, our representative asked: "Is the Government contemplating taking any action with regard to the further decline of the dollar, prior to the issuing of the Committee's report?"

The answer given was:—"So far as I am aware, the Government will take no action before the Committee's report is presented, but will await that report."

Enlarging on this, our informant expressed the opinion that he failed to see what action could be taken to anticipate the Committee's findings.

Watching the Situation.

"I need hardly tell you," he said, "that the Government is watching the situation very carefully, and will certainly take any action that will be useful." He added:

"Whilst appreciating the views of the various correspondents in the local Press, it appears to me that they treat the subject purely from the manner in which it affects them. If there are local experts who have failed to find a solution, I cannot see how anyone can expect the layman to discover the remedy."

Effects on Budget

"Can you give any indication how the fall of the dollar will affect the preparation of the Budget?" was the next question, and in reply our representative was informed that it must undoubtedly affect the Budget, but to what extent our informant could not say.

"It will, of course," he added, "be subject to a certain extent, to the Committee's report. We are expecting that to be placed before the Government very shortly, although I cannot give you the exact date. It will, however, be in our hands before the Budget is prepared, but until then, I cannot give any idea whatever as to how it will be affected."

Remembering the recent suggestion made by a correspondent that a petition be dispatched from the community to the Government in England, informing it of the urgent need for official action with regard to the problem of effecting a recovery in the value of the dollar, or, alternatively, of its stabilisation, our representative enquired for the official's view on this matter.

Expert Advice.

It was given in these words:—"I cannot see what good that can possibly do. If you sent for an expert to come from England, he could not deal with the matter better than our local experts, and in addition, we should have to pay a large salary. As a matter of fact, an expert in England could deal with the problem just as well by staying there and being supplied with all the data. A man

FRENCH RAILWAY DISASTER.

CRASH ATTRIBUTED TO FOUL PLAY.

WOMAN'S ORDEAL.

Montreueau, June 1.
Hitherto eight persons are known to be killed and 15 injured in the derailment of an express from Paris to Marseilles, which collided with a trolley on the track.—*Reuter*.

Montreueau, June 1.
The railway authorities attribute the express disaster to foul play, by the deliberate placing of a gangster's truck on the line, but the suggestion that it was an attempt on the life of M. Tardieu, the Premier, is dismissed, as M. Tardieu left for Dijon four hours earlier.

Three Englishmen were amongst the injured.

A Frenchwoman who had her foot crushed was trapped for three hours in a hermetically-sealed closed carriage, holding in her arms the lifeless body of her brother, aged nine years, and surrounded by dead bodies.

Her father, mother, another brother and she herself were finally rescued by another passenger, a plumber, who had a blow-pipe with him and who, after two hours' work, succeeded in boring a hole through the roof of the coach.

An up-train, which was proceeding at full speed, was only warned of the accident in time to enable the driver to put on the brakes and pull up within a bare hundred yards of the wreckage.—*Reuter*.

MR. BALDWIN AND THE REFERENDUM.

WHY CONSERVATIVES URGE ITS USE.

London, June 1.
Speaking at Leeds yesterday, Mr. Stanley Baldwin ex-Premier, made a reference to the Referendum which he had stated would be taken in the event of a further Conservative Government proposing to tax foreign foodstuffs in order to give preference to Imperial foodstuffs.

Mr. Baldwin said the Referendum was required so that the voice of the people would not be mistaken, and it would enable the Government to act so that any further Government following would not feel it necessary to cancel any agreement of a fiscal nature that had been entered upon.

The McKenna duties had been approved and instituted by the Conservative Government, which had a mandate from the people and a majority of over 200, yet now they saw a minority Labour Government attempting to sweep them away.—*British Wireless*.

NIGHT RACING AT SHANGHAI.

NOT LIKELY TO TAKE ON WITH PUBLIC.

Shanghai, June 2.
Over 4,000 people attended the opening of the night dirt track at the Stadium last night.

There were plenty of thrills and a few spills.

There was no betting. The opinion is that this form of racing will not take on with the public.—*Our Own Correspondent*.

THE DAVIS CUP.

HOLLAND ELIMINATED BY CZECHO-SLOVAKIA.

Scheveningen, June 1.
Czecho-Slovakia has eliminated Holland from the Davis Cup, winning three matches and losing two.—*Reuter*.

doesn't need to be on the spot to deal with this sort of thing. "Nevertheless, I can say that should the Committee advise the assistance of an expert from England, the Government would certainly put the suggestion into effect."

MANILA MUST BE HELD.

AMERICAN VIEWS ON NAVAL TREATY.

ADMIRALS DISCUSS WAR IN THE PACIFIC.

RATIOS ASSAILED.

Washington, May 27.
The Philippine Islands and their defence in case of war on the Pacific figured prominently at the continuation of the hearings on the London naval limitations treaty before the Senate Committee on foreign relations, headed by Senator William E. Borah, Republican of Idaho.

Mention of the Philippines came when high officers of the United States navy, testifying before the committee, continued to train their guns on the London pact, concentrating their attacks on the Japanese ratio.

Rear Admiral Henry A. Wiley opened his testimony by saying that, in his opinion, the concessions granted Japan by the Washington treaty were excessive, but now comes the London treaty with concessions to the same country which are "absolutely wicked."

Inferior Category.

The treaty, Admiral Wiley continued, "puts the United States in a category inferior to that of Japan." He then went on to discuss the possibilities of a war on the Pacific. He told the committee that, in the event of war, the first thing that the United States would have to do would be to hold Manila at all cost. The second step would be to establish a fleet there. The third step would be to begin operations against the enemy, with Manila as the base.

Admiral Wiley further told the committee that despite the fact that Manila is unfortified, the United States could hold that city against the enemy with submarines and aeroplanes pending the arrival of the fleet.

Submarine Parity.

Rear Admiral Ridley McLean assailed the treaty provision which gives Japan submarine parity with the United States. He pointed out that Japan has a naval base 300 miles north of the Philippines, while the nearest American base, according to him, is 6,000 miles from the Islands.

Other Admirals also assailed the treaty to-day, all placing special emphasis on the Japanese ratio.

Senator leaders are in general agreement that the President's notice that he would call a special session of the Senate to dispose of the treaty if it is not acted upon before adjournment means that an early decision either for or against the pact will be reached.

It is conceded by even the foes of the treaty that it has enough supporters in the senate to assure its ratification.

Meanwhile, the Department of State has initiated discussions for an exchange of notes between the United States, Great Britain and Japan to clarify the converted ship replacement clause. Witnesses before the senate committees which are studying the treaty have acknowledged that under the clause Great Britain might be construed as able to replace her six-inch gun cruisers with eight-inch gun cruisers when the former come of age.

President's Notice.

Notice that with the support of the leaders in the Senate he would call a special session of the Senate if the London naval treaty was disposed of during the present session was given by President Hoover on Friday.

"It is my understanding," the President said in a statement issued at the White House, "that the advocates of the naval treaty in the senate have striven earnestly for action during the present session. If it should prove to be impossible to complete it at the regulation session, I shall call a special session of the senate immediately following the regular session to deal with the question. The leaders of the senate have been consulted and are in agreement with this programme."

ENGLAND'S CRICKET CAPTAIN.

A.P.F. CHAPMAN TO LEAD THE TEST TEAM.

HONOURED AGAIN.

London, June 1.
It is announced that Mr. A. P. F. Chapman will captain England in the first Test Match against the Australians to be played at Nottingham on June 13.—*Reuter*.

Chapman has previously captained England in Test matches and playing for the M. C. C. this year has shown good batting form. That the question of the Test captain has been exciting more than usual interest at Home is revealed by Mr. W. W. Boucher in the *Daily Chronicle*. He says:—"At the moment some of the amateur critics are getting all hot and bothered over the question of who shall skipper our team."

"Chapman must lead!" cries one. "What about Jupp?" asks another. "Carr for Merrie England!" urges a third, but not one



appears to recognise the extreme futility and unwisdom of the business.

The man to lead England is the man who has proved himself in leading county sides, knows how to get the best out of his team, and, at the same time, is himself in tip-top form.

Chapman led the team that beat the Australians "down under." I should like to see him skipping our side again, but only if his form is good enough.

A bit ruthless? Perhaps so, but these Australians are going to be ruthless, too. They won't allow sentiment to saddle the team they put in the field with someone who is not pulling his full weight.

Every man in the Australian side will have to play for his place. England will be the stronger if the same thing applies.

Test matches are not going to be won by reputations. We shall need men who are doing big deeds to-day to beat these "Aussies." Therefore, let us show a trifle of wisdom in waiting until these men emerge from our county games.

This is only sane policy. To plead the cause of any individual before waiting until he has justified himself in actual play is to invite a rebuff when selection time comes round.

THE KING'S HEALTH.

NOT TO ATTEND TROOPING OF THE COLOUR.

London, June 1.
Although His Majesty the King is making a satisfactory recovery from his attack of rheumatism, it is announced he will not attend the ceremony of the Trooping of the Colour on the Horse Guards Parade on Tuesday.

By command of His Majesty, the salute will be taken by Field Marshal the Duke of Connaught, Senior Colonel of the Brigade of Guards.

This consideration has been taken by the King on medical advice. It is considered that while any vestige of the rheumatic trouble remains, it would not be advisable for him to bear the strain of sitting on a horse for nearly two hours.—*British Wireless*.

FATHER ALGUE DEAD.

INVENTED TYPHOON DEVICE.

FORMER HEAD OF MANILA OBSERVATORY.

PASSES IN SPAIN.

Manila, May 28.
Father Jose Algue, inventor of the barocyclonometer and Director of the Manila Observatory from 1898 to 1925, died early yesterday morning at the Torosa College, residence of the Jesuit Fathers in charge of the Loro Observatory, Spain, according to a cable message received late last night by Father Miguel Selga, director of the weather bureau. He was 74 years old.

The name of Father Algue will never be forgotten, due to his invention of the barocyclonometer, an instrument which locates and points out the direction of a typhoon, and which combined with Father Faura's barometer, became the two best known contributions of the Philippines to climatologists and seismologists.

Knew World Fame.

Since his invention of this instrument, which was first announced to the world in 1904, his fame as a scientist has become known all over the world. The first official recognition of the value of his invention was given by the United States Navy which adopted his barocyclonometer, without any changes, as part of the ship steering apparatus. Father Faura's barometer has also been adopted by the U.S. Navy and is in general use throughout the Orient.

Father Algue had been reported dead once before, the last time on November from a heavy attack of pneumonia. He was brought to the Torosa College after his illness and was reported to be regaining his health.

Early Career.

Born in the town of Manresa, Spain on December 23, 1856, Father Jose Algue's first studies were at Barcelona, and he later went to France, where he joined the Society of Jesus, becoming a Jesuit father on July 17, 1871.

He then spent several years in the little Republic of Andorra, where he studied philosophy. He came to the Philippines in 1894. After staying two years in Manila, he left for Georgetown University, Washington, D.C., where he studied astronomy and meteorology. He returned to the Islands in 1898, and on Father Faura's death that year, he was appointed Director of the Manila Observatory, now known as the weather bureau, a post which he held for 27 years, from 1898 to 1925 when he left for Spain. His departure from the Philippines at the age of 69 years was due to failing health and to cataract of the eyes.

Data on Typhoons.

During his stay in the Islands as Director of the Manila Observatory, he added to the prestige of the observatory, gained after Father Faura's invention of the barometer, by improving this invention by his own invention of the barocyclonometer and by the participation of the observatory at the St. Louis International Fair, held in 1904-1905.

In 1900, Father Algue gave to the world the first complete and reliable data on weather and typhoons in the Philippines, in his two-volume book "El Archipelago Filipino." In 1904 he headed the delegation of the weather bureau to the St. Louis Fair and in 1905 he represented the Philippines at the international conference at Innsbruck, Austria.

In 1925, when old age was making it impossible for him to continue with his work, he retired, leaving his post to Father Miguel Selga, and left for Spain. His death yesterday morning was deeply felt by the Jesuit fathers at the Manila Observatory who had but recently received news of his improved health.

"MASKEE" OFFERED FOR SALE.

TOO LATE NOW TO MAKE WORLD VOYAGE.

OWNER'S INTENTION.

The junk "Maskee," in which Mr. Stevenson and three companions recently set out on a world voyage but had to return, is now offered for sale, an advertisement on Page 4 of to-day's *Telegraph* inviting offers for the little craft.

Seen by a *Telegraph* representative, Mr. Stevenson said he had been reluctantly compelled to give up the idea of attempting the world voyage, owing to his inability to get any seafaring men to accompany him. He also realised that it was now very late in the season to start out.

"I may, however, make another attempt in three and a half years' time," he said, "when my leave is due." He explained that under normal conditions his leave was not really due until then, but that when he applied some time back for a year's special leave for the purpose of making the world attempt, his employers kindly granted it. Now that the attempt had had to be abandoned, he would naturally revert to his job.

Mr. Stevenson added that even if he gets for the "Maskee" what it cost him, he would still be some \$1,500 out of pocket, "but," he remarked smilingly, "I might have been worse. I might have struck a coral reef and lost everything."

Mr. Stevenson still thinks that a world voyage by a boat like the "Maskee" is possible, and, despite the ill-fortune which has attended his first venture, he is no means averse to trying again, provided he can get experienced volunteers to accompany him.

RECENT ATTACK AT A BANK.

A BOY DISCHARGED FROM HOSPITAL.

Ching Chau-wui, the son of the sub-manager of the Hung Tak Bank, No. 165, Queen's Road Central, who was wounded by a man who ran amok with a chopper on May 24 last on the premises of the Bank was yesterday discharged from the Government Civil Hospital as having recovered from his injuries.

The alleged assailant is being kept in a special ward at the Hospital and receiving attention for a wound in his throat.

QUIET AFTER RAID AT WADALA.

MANY VOLUNTEERS SLIGHTLY INJURED.

Bombay, June 1.
The situation at Wadala is now quiet, following the "final" salt raid yesterday when fifteen thousand volunteers rushed the Police cordon. The military pickets have now been withdrawn. Leaders of the raid estimate that 150 raiders were slightly injured.

Tributes are paid to the restraint exercised by the Police. All the women who were arrested during the incident have now been released.—*Reuter*.

THE FRENCH TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS.

COCHET BEATS TILDEN: WIN FOR MRS. MOODY.

Paris, June 1.
In the final of the French men's tennis championship, Cochet beat Tilden 3-6, 6-3, 6-3, 6-1.

In the final of the ladies' championship, Mrs. Helen Wills Moody beat Miss Helen Jacobs 6-2, 6-1.—*Reuter*.

FINE TO SHOWERY.

The Royal Observatory reports that a depression is still shown over Tongking. The typhoon is about 200 miles N. E. of Nagasaki, moving N. E. The local forecast is:—Southernly or variable winds, moderate; fine to showery.

NANKING SUFFERS HEAVILY.

TROOPS RETREAT IN DISORDER.

ENEMY CAPTURES WHOLE UNIT OF AEROPLANES.

20-MILE THRUST.

Peking, June 1.
A communique from the Military Headquarters at Chengchow states that as a result of a general offensive on the night of May 30th, the Nanking troops were forced to fall back to the east in disorder, and the Kuominchun-Shansi Allies advanced twenty miles on all fronts.

It is further stated that a Nanking mixed regiment was cut off from the main force and disarmed near Ningling, whilst an infantry regiment was captured near Kweitch.

The total prisoners taken numbered 3,500.

Air Unit Captured.

General Cheng Ta-chang, Commander of the Second Group of Kuominchun Cavalry, after a few days' scouting in the neighbourhood of Tangshan, discovered that the enemy had changed his Air Depot from Tangshan to a place one mile south-east of Mamutsi, and was apparently preparing an air raid on a large scale.

General Cheng Ta-chang personally led a surprise attack during the night of May 30th and captured a whole unit of twelve planes, with fifty pilots and mechanics. A battalion of infantry and a company of cavalry are now guarding the Depot.

Other Victories.

General Shih Yu-shan also claims a sweeping victory on the night of May 30th, reporting that General Tiao-yuan's bodyguard was defeated and disarmed near Tsohsien.

General Fan Chung-hsiu reports that a Nanking Brigade attempted to cut his rear, but was enveloped at Yehhsien, the whole Brigade being disarmed.—*Reuter*.

Tsingcheng Captured.

Shanghai, June 1.
The capture by the Shansi-Kuominchun allies of Tsingcheng, on the bank of the Yellow River to the north-east of Tsinanfu, and the subsequent Nationalist retreat towards Tsinanfu marked the latest development in the northern war during the week-end.

The whole 4th Shansi Army was engaged in the attacks against the Nationalists simultaneously, at various positions in Shantung Province.

Nanking Defence.

Adopting a defensive plan, the Nationalist troops are massing at Wuting and Yucheng, which is near Tsinanfu, along the Tientsin-Pukow Railway.

The 4th Shansi Army which captured Tsingcheng engaged the Nationalist troops in a battle near Wuting yesterday. The Nationalist Commanders at Tsinanfu are planning a gigantic counter-attack against the Shansi-Kuominchun rebels.

General Han Fu-chu of the Nationalist Army returned to Tsinanfu from the front, expressing a confidence in the Nationalist Army's ability to recapture Tsingcheng.

Despite the heavy fighting along parts of the Tsinanfu-Kiaochow Railway and at Tsingcheng, communication on the line was not interrupted during the week-end.

The latest messages from Tsinanfu state that the Shansi troops have been besieging Tsingcheng since this morning and have succeeded in disarming two regiments of Shansi forces in the suburbs of Tsingcheng. Large scale fighting in eastern Shantung is expected to break out at any moment.

Foreigners Perturbed.

In view of the serious situation in Shantung and the war preparations on both sides, the foreigners residing at Tsinanfu held a meeting on Saturday to discuss means and ways to ensure their own safety. (Continued on Page 12.)

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**GOVERNOR OPENS
FLYING CLUB.**

ITS VALUE IN TIME
OF STRESS.

Sir William Peel's presence at the Kai Tak aerodrome on Saturday afternoon was more than just formally to open the new club house of the Hongkong Flying Club. It was an official recognition by the Government of the Club's value to the colony and an acceptance of its offer to place its members at the disposal of the Government in time of stress.

"Field Cottage" as the club house is known is on the aerodrome itself just outside Kowloon City, and its two floors are ideally laid out for a club house. The Government House party were loud in their praises of it as they were shown through the various rooms.

Sir William and Lady Peel were met at the aerodrome by Wing Commander the Hon. Mr. W. E. L. Shenton, Major General J. W. Sandilands, the Hon. Mr. W. T. Southern and Rear Admiral R. A. S. Hill, while Miss Bunty Forbes presented Lady Peel with a bouquet.

In opening the club house, His Excellency said: "I am very glad that it has fallen to my lot to open this club house. Some months ago in London I read in a Hongkong paper of the proceedings of a meeting which was held with a view to inaugurating the Hongkong Flying Club. You all know its objects and reasons, so there is no need for me to recapitulate them. I must congratulate the club on the great progress it has made since that meeting. The membership now exceeds 50, I understand that it has acquired two planes and you now have a club house ready for use."

Government Grant.

"As you all know, the Government receives many applications for financial help from the public purse which unfortunately does not possess the characteristics of the widow's cruse. It is obvious that a great number of these applications must be turned down, but I am sure that we are all certain that the initial grant of \$60,000 and an annual subsidy of \$30,000 to the club by the Government is more than justified."

"One of the main objects of the club is to train pilots and engineers and to take as members all nationalities. Each member on joining undertakes to place his services at the disposal of the Government in time of stress. This is still more evidence of the unity and loyalty of the people of Hongkong."

"Aviation has progressed very rapidly particularly in recent years and one can imagine that that earliest of aviators, Icarus, if he were allowed to gaze across the Styx would feel envious of modern aviators, who in these days include duchesses, dames and flappers. Miss Amy Johnson, in what has been known as 'The Flapper's Flight' has evoked the admiration of the whole world. As a Yorkshireman I have a certain amount of pride in her flight, for Miss Johnson has a claim to being a Yorkshire lassie."

Doing a Good Turn.

"There are many phases of flying. First there is the joyous sporting spirit and the desire for pace which seems to be so much in evidence to-day. Perhaps at the risk of being called an old fogey I sometimes wonder if we shall soon all be going too fast, when the Americans will say that it will be the 'cutest thing' to go round in bathtubs and play croquet polo."

"Then there is the commercial side. There is no doubt that aviation is bringing the markets of the world much closer together, but the most important side I think is the power which flying has of saving life. Cases of life saving at sea by planes are common, and a year or so ago the women and children were removed from Kabul by aeroplanes in a time of stress."

"The Hongkong Flying Club in setting out to train men and women in flying is doing a good turn to Hongkong and the world in general. I am sure you will all join with me in wishing the club every success in its future."

**KAI-TAK FOLLIES
ENTERTAIN.**

KOWLOON ENJOYS FINE
PROGRAMME.

Making their first really important public appearance on Saturday evening, when they entertained several hundred Kowloon residents at the K.C.C., the Kai-Tak Follies scored a big success, sending away at the conclusion of a varied programme, an enthusiastic and happy audience, who were hoping that it would not be the last occasion they would have of enjoying the opportunity of listening to this talented company.

From the opening number of the Aerodance Band, the whole programme went with a swing, and one could not complain of a dull moment. Variety was again the outstanding feature, and practically all tastes were catered for.

The party introduced themselves with a pleasing original number, and were followed by Tower and Co., who gave a snappy interpretation of the big song hit "Breakaway."

Cox, Talbert and Muirhead then endeavoured to put the audience in good humour with everything and everybody, with some amusing back-chat dealing with fox hunting, and in this quest, were remarkably successful, the item being vociferously received.

G. Stretton pleased with a well rendered song, and G. Tower created a decidedly "spooky" atmosphere with his rendition of "The Ghost Walk."

The first half of the programme concluded with songs by A.E. Cox, G. Stretton and G. Tower, and an extremely funny dialogue between Cox and Tower, who discussed the transmigration of souls, to the huge delight of their listeners.

Harmonious house hunting was the final item, and in this the party excelled themselves and "brought the house down."

The outstanding numbers in the second half were "Wireless Up to Date" by Tower, Millward and Muirhead, "The Doubtful Quartette" by Muirhead, Stretton, Hart and Summers, and the very popular concerted item, "Our Parochial Gathering," which was chock full of humorous lines and funny situations.

A most enjoyable and successful evening; it is to be hoped that the K.C.C. will, as a result, be encouraged to afford the public more opportunities of this kind of excellent entertainment.

The Follies are a talented combination, and they owe much of their success to A.E. Cox, who is responsible for the production of the programmes. L.A. Watling, who carries out the duties of business manager and T. Guncill, the stage manager.

men in flying is doing a good turn to Hongkong and the world in general. I am sure you will all join with me in wishing the club every success in its future."

Declaration Explained.
Expressing thanks to Sir William Peel, the Hon. Mr. Shenton remarked that the club greatly appreciated the financial assistance of the Government and it hoped to return their generosity in kind. He also thanked the committee who had given him so much assistance, without which it would have been impossible to open the club house. He specially mentioned Messrs. Lambert, Summers and Wynne-Jones.

Mr. Shenton referred to the declaration which flying members were asked to sign. It was simply a declaration that members would place their services at the disposal of the Government in times of emergency, as the Governor had stated. There was some trepidation on the part of some members of the community on this point. Another of the objects of the club was to assist the Hongkong Volunteers and to train them in flying.

It was hoped that before long many members would own their own machines, Mr. Shenton continued. They were also hopeful of receiving assistance from the Air Ministry in England. He referred to the wonderful strides of aviation and, in discussing the possibilities of Hongkong as an

CORRESPONDENCE.

The Motor Bus Business.

[To The Editor of *Hongkong Telegraph*.]

Sir,—With reference to the report of proceedings of the extraordinary general meeting of the Hongkong Tramways Ltd. stating that their offer was refused by the Hotel Company, may I, as a shareholder, suggest to the Tramways Company to use the same offer to buy up the China Motor Bus Company and the Kowloon Motor Bus Company. You will realize that the traffic receipts of these two companies are no doubt more than that of the Hotel Buses and, moreover, the future prospects of the bus business on the other side of the harbour are great. In amalgamation of these two bus companies with the Kai Tak Bus Company, which the Company now own, the Company will have the monopoly of the bus business on the Kowloon peninsula, and I am fully confident that if this suggestion is taken up the Company will have better returns than by taking over the Hotel Buses.

A SHAREHOLDER.

air port, remarked that a few years might see the Colony a bigger airport than it was a seaport. After the Governor had opened the club house and the visitors had inspected it, Flight Lieut. Bennett gave several exhibitions of stunt flying and took several passengers for short cruises in the club's plane.

The band of the third battalion of the 15th Punjab Regiment rendered a programme of music during the afternoon.

OBITUARY.

COMMANDER OF JAPAN'S
LEASED TERRITORY.

Tokyo, May 31.

The death is announced of General Hata, commander of the Japanese garrison in the Kwangtung leased territory, China.—*Reuter*.

[The Kwangtung leased territory, is a province of that name in the southern part of the Liaotung Peninsula in South Manchuria, which together with the 40 islands adjacent to the Peninsula, covers an area of 218,757 "ri." A lease of this province was first acquired by Japan under the terms of the Portsmouth Treaty of 1905, when the lease of South Manchuria lapsed to Japan until 1923. Under the terms of the Sino-Japanese Treaty of May 25th, 1915, the lease of Kwangtung province was extended till 1997.]

**MOTOR TRAGEDY IN
INDIANAPOLIS.**

RACERS CRASH AT 100
MILES AN HOUR.

Indianapolis, May 31.

The 500 miles motor car Grand Prix was won by Billy Arnold, of Chicago, driving a front-wheel drive Moller Hartz, in approximately four hours and 49 minutes. The two Marshall brothers crashed into a wall when travelling at 100 miles an hour. One has died in hospital and the other is in a critical condition suffering from a fractured skull.—*Reuter*.

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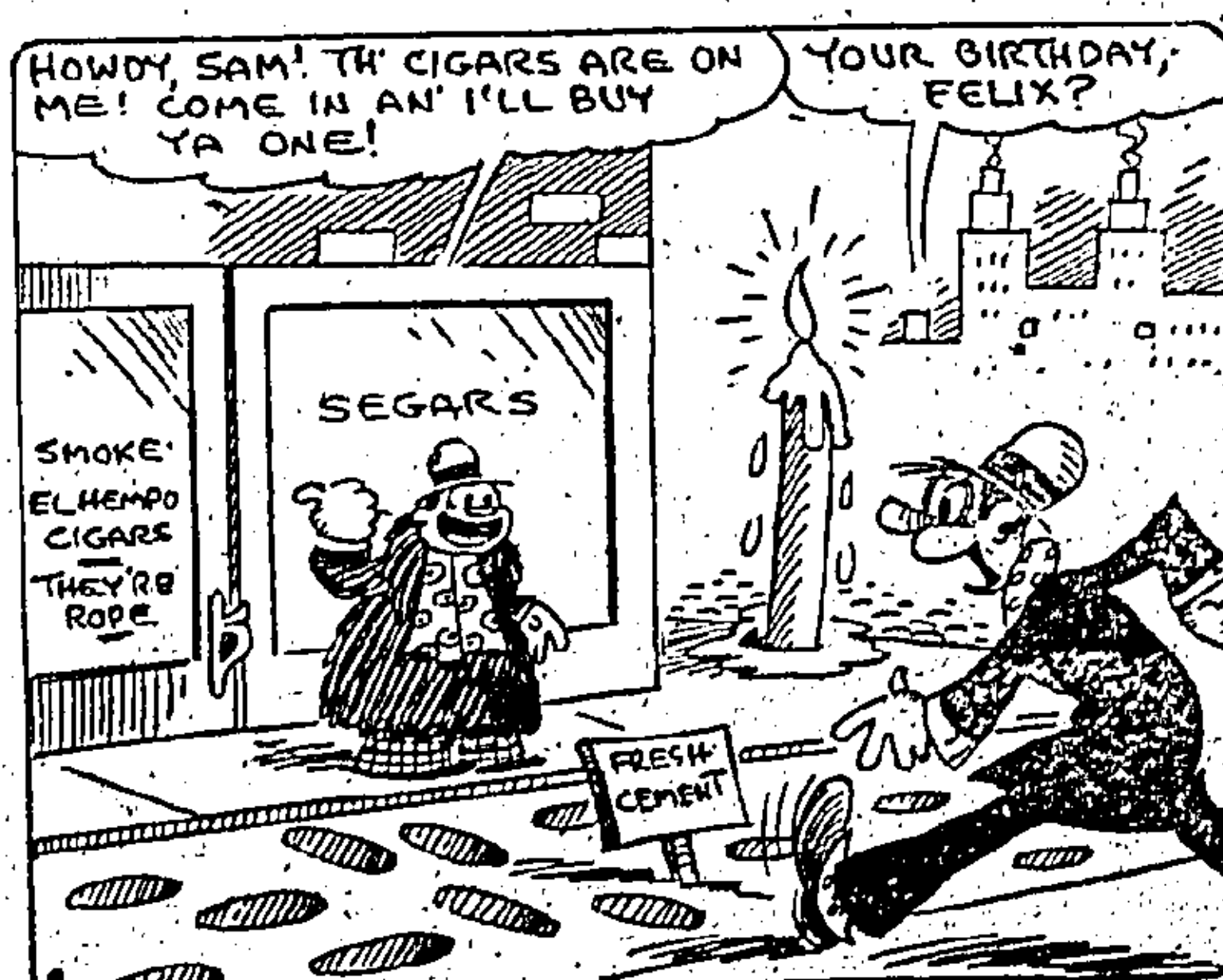
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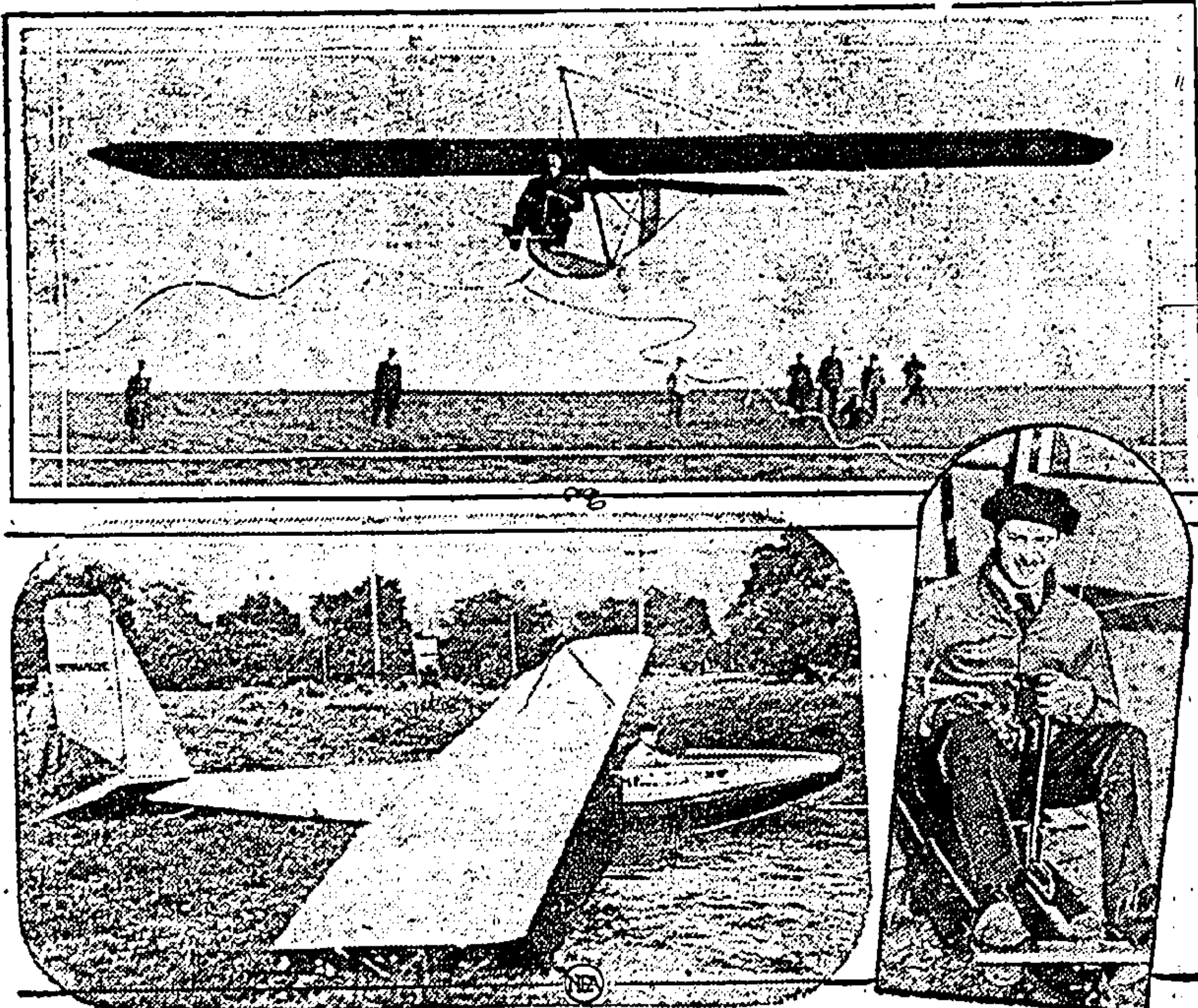




The beautiful Duchess of Leinster, above, was found unconscious in the gas-filled kitchen of a tiny apartment in U. S. A. where she had resided for several weeks under the name of "Mrs. Williams." The Duchess separated from her husband some time ago.



With machine gun squads of national guardsmen stationed at strategic points about Ohio State Penitentiary, Governor Myers Y. Cooper placed the full authority of the state behind Warden Preston E. Thomas, above, in his effort to restore discipline out of the chaos that followed the disastrous fire in which 321 convicts burned to death.



The first glider to be flown in the Philadelphia area taking off at Patco Field, Pa.; At the right is Wesley Smith, famous racing pilot, at the controls of the same glider. At the left is the world's largest glider, constructed by Adolph Keltorborn, German expert, at Serra Madre, Calif.



Members of Germany's new ministry Dr. Joseph Wirth, upper left, Julius Curtius, upper right, General Wilhelm Groener, lower right, Professor Paul Moldenhauer, centre, Martin Schiele, lower left.



Among the attractions—both horticultural and feminine—at the International Flower Show held at Grand Central Palace.



Left to right are Mrs. O. S. Hill, Marion Bennett, Glenna Collett, Bernice Wall and Fritz Stifel, members of the American ladies golf team.



Miss Medea Mary Holley became the wife of Mr. Reginald Watkins, District Officer at Shanghai.

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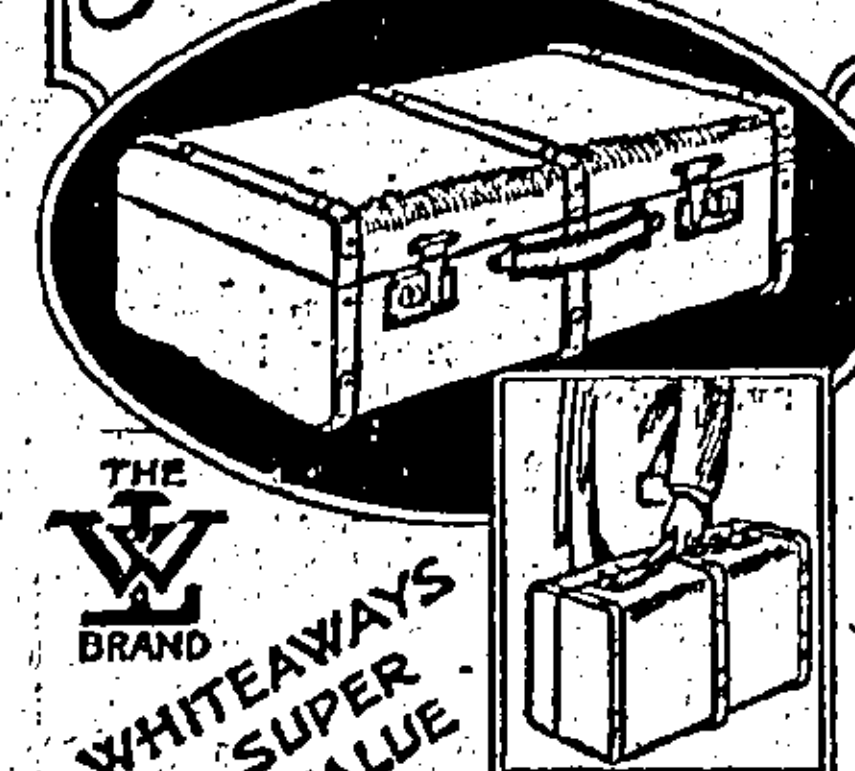
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The Sixth Extra Race Meeting will be held (weather permitting) at Happy Valley on Saturday, 7th June, and on Monday, 9th June, 1930, commencing at 2 p.m. The first bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m. on both days.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.

Members are notified that they and their ladies must wear their badges prominently displayed. No one without a badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Badges admitting non-members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5. per day for Gentlemen and \$2. per day for Ladies, are obtainable through the Secretary upon introduction by a member, such member to be responsible for payment of all chits, &c.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will not be on sale at the Race Course. Members can obtain, upon application to the Secretary, badges (limited to two) for the free admission to the Members' Enclosure of wives, lady relatives and friends. Names must be stated when applying. On no pretext will children be permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

The price of admission to the Public Enclosure is \$1. per day for all persons including ladies and is payable at the gate.

Soldiers and Sailors in uniform are admitted half price. Book-makers, Tic Tac men, &c. will not be permitted to operate within the precincts of the Hongkong Jockey Club during the Race Meetings.

By Order,

C. B. BROWN,
 Secretary.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP CO. LTD.

The Ordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders in the above Company will be held at the Company's Offices, P. & O. Building on Wednesday, June 4th, at 11 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers together with a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1929.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from 29th of May to 4th of June, both days inclusive.

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Hongkong, 17th May, 1930.

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By order of the Board.

W. L. MCKENZIE,
 Secretary.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Voting Members of the Hongkong Jockey Club will be held at the Club House, Happy Valley, Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY, the 4th day of June, 1930, immediately after the Half Yearly Meeting of Voting Members, for the purpose of considering, and if thought fit, passing the following resolution:—

"That the present unincorporated members Club known as the Hongkong Jockey Club be incorporated and registered in Hongkong under the Hongkong Companies Ordinances as a company limited by guarantee and that the name of such company shall be The Hongkong Jockey Club and that the draft Memorandum and Articles of Association contained in the printed document submitted to the meeting and for the purpose of identification subscribed by the Chairman thereof be approved and adopted as the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Club as incorporated and that the same be subscribed by the existing Stewards of the Hongkong Jockey Club and registered as such and that the company be registered without the addition of the word Limited to its name as being an association which intends to apply its profits in promoting its objects and which prohibits the payment of any dividends to its members and that the existing Stewards of the Hongkong Jockey Club do forthwith after the incorporation and registration of the said company transfer and assign all the property effects benefit and liabilities of the present unincorporated Hongkong Jockey Club to the company so incorporated and registered."

And notice is hereby also given that a further Extraordinary General Meeting of the Hongkong Jockey Club will be held at the same place on MONDAY, the 23rd day of June, 1930, at 5.30 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of receiving a report of the proceedings of the above mentioned meeting and of confirming, if thought fit, the above mentioned resolution.

Copies of the proposed Memorandum and Articles of Association are open to the inspection of members and can be seen during the usual business hours at the office of the Secretary, Mr. C. B. Brown, Messrs. Linstead & Davis, Alexandra Buildings, Hongkong, and at the office of Messrs. Deacons, 1, Des Voeux Road Central, Hongkong, the Club's Solicitors and at the Club House, Happy Valley, Hongkong.

Dated the 21st day of May, 1930.

By Order

of the Stewards,

C. B. BROWN,
 Secretary.

BANK HOLIDAYS.

In Accordance with Ordinance No. 5 of 1912, the Exchange Banks will be closed for the Transaction of Public Business on Tuesday, the 3rd of June, (The Birthday of His Majesty the King).
 Hongkong, 29th May, 1930.

NOTICE.

I have this day appointed Mr. A. R. Pinguet as my Attorney with power to sign documents for myself and my Firm.

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HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB. NOTICE.

The Half Yearly General Meeting of Voting Members will be held at the Club House, Happy Valley on Wednesday, 4th June, 1930, at 5.30 p.m.

By Order,

C. B. BROWN,
 Secretary.

Hongkong, 19th May, 1930.

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The Forty-Ninth Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the Offices of the General Managers, Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co. Ltd., Pedder Street, Hongkong, on Wednesday, the 18th June, 1930, at Noon for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, passing the Accounts, and electing Directors and Auditors.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 11th June to 2nd July, 1930, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board.

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General Managers.

Hongkong, 28th May, 1930.

Sir Edwin Cooper, who is 57, was architect for the Port of London Authority building on Tower Hill, the Royal Mail building and the new Lloyd's. Mr. Lawrence is a mural painter whose principal works include the Altruists (executed for the Wembley apse in 1924) and "Building Pons Aelii" at Newcastle-on-Tyne. Mr. Lawrence, who is 37, also painted the Elizabethan panel in St. Stephen's Hall, Westminster.

Worry over his income-tax returns led to the suicide of Albert F. Evans, aged 67, a retired City merchant, of Julian-road, Folkestone, who hanged himself from a bedstead, and at the inquest at Folkestone a verdict of suicide while temporarily insane was returned. The widow stated that he worried over his business during the war although there was no need for him to do so, and in the end he sold it.

JONES WINS THE GOLF FINAL.

WETHERED LOSES BY SEVEN AND SIX.

London, May 31.

There were amazing scenes, at the close of the final of the amateur Golf Championship. Amid the skirling of bagpipes, and an attendance of 20,000 people, spectators swarmed over the course in an attempt to chair Bobby Jones, who beat Wethered by seven up and six to play. The win was very popular, and a body of police had to charge down the crowd, and bore Jones off, with a sunny smile, to the Club house, where Lieut. Colonel Skene, Captain of the Royal and Ancient Club, presented him with the Cup. Jones said, "I am proud of my win at St. Andrews. I think it is the greatest course in the world."

The Morning Round.

Despite variable putting and accurate approach shots, enabling him to turn all square with 35 strokes each man for the first nine holes, Wethered took three putts at the tenth at which he missed an eighteen inch putt. This put him one down. He halved the eleventh and twelfth, had an attack of hooking and lost the 13th, 14th, 15th and 16th to give Jones the lead by five holes. At the seventeenth Jones was bunkered on the road and missed a two-yrard. The American turned four up, the eighteenth hole being halved.

Wethered's first round was accomplished in the following strokes:

4 4 5 4 3 4 3 4 5 3 4 5 5 6 4 4 = 76

Jones went round in 71 as follows:

4 4 4 4 4 3 4 3 4 4 4 4 5 4 = 71

In the Afternoon.

Going round in the afternoon, Wethered won the first hole on a sty-mie but failed to hole a two footer for a win at the second where Jones regained the lead of four up. The third, fourth and fifth were halved. Wethered cutting from the rough to hole a twelve yarder for a "birdie" three at the sixth, reducing the American's lead to three holes, but three putts cost him the seventh, to make Jones four up again. Wethered was bunkered at the eighth and became five down, while he lost the tenth giving Jones the lead by six holes.

Jones almost drove onto the green at the twelfth and easily won the hole, where a vast crowd surged round the ball. The scene was reminiscent of a rugby scrum. The stewards had the greatest difficulty in clearing the space.—*Reuter.*

SHARE PRICES.

TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS.

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:

Banks.
 Hongkong Bank, \$1525 b.
 Chartered Bank, \$174 n.
 Mercantile A. & B., \$29 n.
 East Asia \$120 b.

Insurance.
 Canton Ins., \$950 n.
 Union Ins., \$473 b.
 North China Ins., Tls. 160 b
 Yangtze Ins., \$50 n.
 China Underwriters, \$3.15 s.
 China Fires, \$400 b.
 H. K. Fire Ins., \$955 b.

Shipping.
 Douglasses, \$23 b.
 H. K. Steamboats, \$26 s.
 Indo-Chinas, (Def.) \$40 n.
 Union Waterboats \$33 n.

Mining.
 Benguet, \$77 b.
 Kailans, 4/13 n.
 Langkats, Tls. 13.10 n.
 S'hai Explorations, Tls. 1.30 b
 Raubs, \$23 b.
 Tronohs, 21/- n.

Docks, etc.
 Kowloon Wharves, \$180 sa.
 Whampoa Docks, \$404 n.
 China Providents \$5.70 s.
 Hongkows, Tls 265 b.
 New Engineerings, Tls. 8 b.
 Shanghai Docks, Tls. 133 n.

Cottons.
 Ewo Cottons, Tls. 13.40 b.
 S'hai Cottons, Tls. 86 (old) n.
 Lands, Hotels, &c.
 H. and S. Hotels, \$12.90 s.
 H. K. Lands, \$87 b.
 S'hai Lands Tls. 285 b.
 Humphreys, \$16.80 b.
 Realities, \$10.90 s.
 Chinese Estates \$93 s.

Public Utilities.
 Tramways, \$20.60 p.
 Peak Trams (old) \$124 b.
 Star Ferries, \$864 b.
 China Lights, (Old) \$284 s.
 H. K. Electric, \$834 b.
 Macao Electric, \$23 n.
 Telephones \$17. b.
 China Buses, Tls 194 b.
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On Tuesday, the 3rd June the G.P.O. will be open from 8 a.m. to noon, Kowloon Post Office 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. and the other Branch Post Offices 8 a.m. to 9 a.m. There will be one collection from the pillar boxes, one delivery of ordinary correspondence as on Sundays, and one delivery of registered correspondence at 9 a.m. The Money Order Office will be entirely closed.

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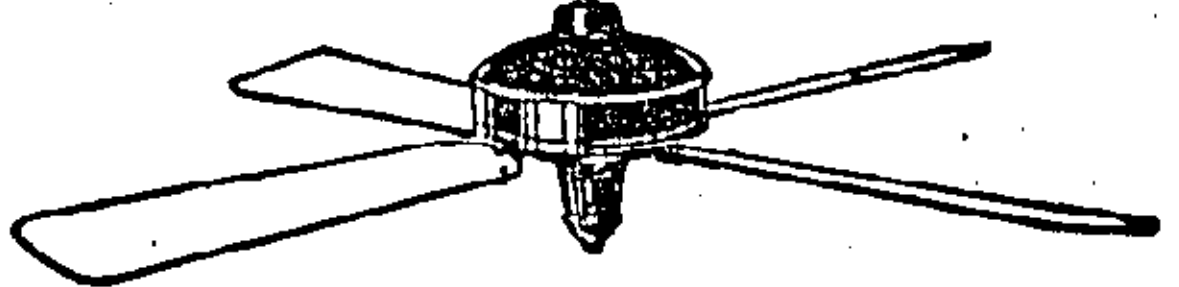
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WOMAN'S WORLD

FOR OUR LADY READERS.

Fruit Eating and Health.

[By a Hospital Matron.]

Many people who desire to improve their health by an intensive course of fruit eating are apt to desist just when the beneficial effects of the diet are becoming manifest. When they complain of an occasional "heavy feeling," or that they are "out of sorts," for a day or two, they have reached another "signpost" on the road to good health without being able to interpret its significance.

When fruit is taken in sufficient quantities, it begins to ferret out and expel the disease-producing acid poisons which are evolved by the consumption of excessive amounts of meat and refined and concentrated foodstuffs. A drastic and too sudden deviation to the powerful types of fruit, such as oranges, means that the expulsion of these acid toxins will be too speedily effected, and the manner of their going may be singularly unpleasant.

Those persons who have sojourned in Eastern climes know that a sudden, excessive indulgence in ripe fruit can evoke a sturdy crop of boils within two or three days. In like manner, an orgy of oranges by those who are new to a fruit diet may cause the elimination of rubbish in the form of a quickened intestinal activity, various catarrhs, skin rashes, and even boils. These boils are totally different from the infective variety, and though all working together for the ultimate good of the individual, can be distinctly chastening to their host.

A too sudden devotion to fruit will cause the eliminative efforts of the body to fall upon the weaker and more encumbered organs. A victim of indigestion may, on over-indulgence in apples or oranges, experience an aggravation of his present internal discomfort. Whereas, if he introduced fruit into his dietary with a becoming coyness, his stomach would soon cease from troubling.

The Slim Silhouette.

Just as the poisons of gout seek an occasional outlet as a bronchitis, so can a fruit regime produce a "cold" in the individual who has consistently over-eaten of the starchy types of food. The cold is an eliminative catarrh which is expelled by means of the air passages. People who complain of the development of "spots" on the back should hail their advent with relief since the skin is carrying out the necessary excretions, and so relieves the strain on more highly-specialised organs.

The modern girl ardently desires a slim silhouette, and thereby shows her eminent good sense. And so the many women who go on a fruit diet for purposes of weight reduction will find, incidentally, that their beauty is vastly improved during the process. Some, however, are loud in their complaints that, for a few weeks, the scales actually register an increase in their weight.

There is a very simple explanation. The plain truth is that, for the first time for years, they are eating food which the body can assimilate and utilise, and which is not, as of yore, stored up as unsightly fat. Since the reducing properties of a fruit diet require some time to make themselves felt, there is added to a present embarrassment the newly stored-up nourishment. In a short time, if they persevere, their weight will begin to conform with present-day standards.

The habit of fruit eating is an acquired one, and thrice healthy is the person who is held fast in its fetters.



The treatment of ripples and ruffles in summer frocks is manifold. The designer confines them well below the knee in the white spangled evening gown on the left. The three tiers of flounces are of tulle and swish gracefully about the feet. Delightful ripples are seen in the daytime frock of printed silk crepe with its three circular tiers forming the skirt and a similar sleeve treatment. The evening gown of pale yellow Alencon lace on the right is lovely with its summer ruffle. The narrow flounces in four tiers dip in front in apron effect and are used in fifteen tiers to form a divided train.

Summer Shoes.

REPTILE SKINS ARE DYED ALL COLOURS.

How our imagination does run riot when it comes to choosing summer footwear: colour, apparently, being the first consideration where shoes for this season of the year are concerned.

Now that reptile skins are successfully dyed in all manner of bright shades, attractive combinations between these and a more conventional leather have been achieved. Patched shoes, often of two colours, as well as two skins, are inundating the market.

Plaited Shoes.

Plaited shoes always appear with great success in May, and, while they were once frivolous accessories only suitable for seaside wear, they are now counted in the best style for town use. Frequently only the vamp is plaited, and this certainly makes them of sounder construction.

They are carried out in kid, and there is frequent play on a kid and patent combination, a strip of kid alternating with one of patent. Red and black are employed together, navy and black, navy and scarlet, and green and black.

Crochet Effects.

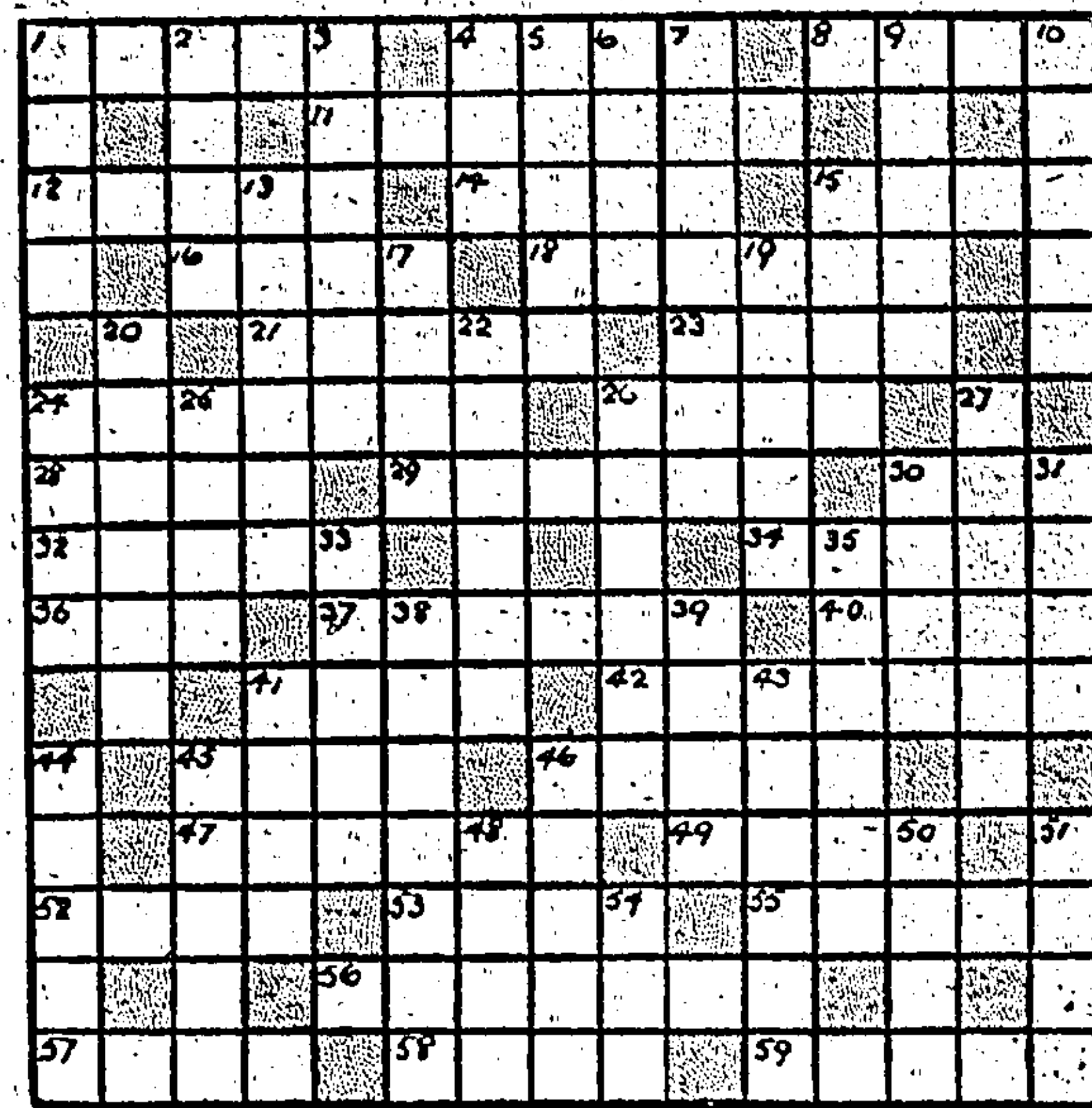
Crochet as well as plaited effects are seen, but of the two I prefer the latter. Invariably there is a handbag to match. A well-known Bond-street shop, famous for its smart accessories, is making quite a feature of these sets. Plaited waistbelts are also seen.

For the Seaside.

For seaside and holiday use white (allied with a second colour) is substituted for black. There seems to be a revival of white antelope designs. A successful pair of white pumps were finished with an emerald-dyed snakeskin toe-cap and spike heels. Incidentally, heels are invariably high and of the spike variety, and vamps are on the short side.

A novelty was an amusing mosaic design in grey, white and black.—SHIRLEY COOK in Exchange.

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS.



Across

- Pertaining to a harp.
- On the top.
- Ply for customers.
- Newly enlisted soldier.
- A round of years.
- Trial.
- Shade.
- Listen to.
- Dress.
- Benefit.
- Innate.
- Instant.
- Single.
- Wander in mind.
- Senility.
- Coal bi-product.
- Baking places.
- Schistous clay.
- Fale.
- Summary.
- Pertaining to wings.
- Pole.
- Edged like a saw.
- Abrupt.
- In front.
- Sell in small quantities.
- Awry.
- Clothed.
- Related.
- Lifeline.
- Deviations.
- Manifest.
- Eastern fruit.
- Rabbits home.

Down

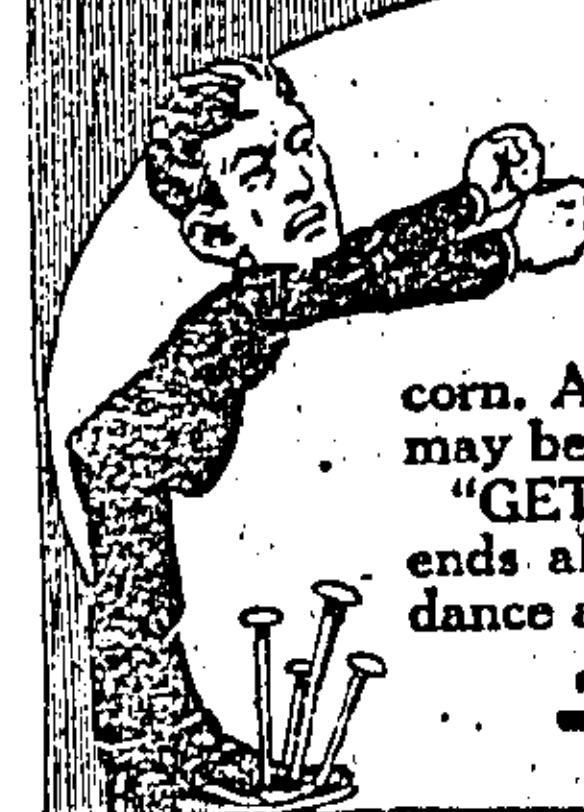
- Good fortune.
- Wealthy.
- Make.
- Deced.
- Step.
- Eject.
- Setting in competition.
- Bay window.

- Tenth part.
- Make smaller.
- Weight.
- Tear.
- Lazes.
- Neckcloth.
- Expiated.
- Bow.
- Level.
- Stupid.
- Taste.
- Fete.
- Scorch.
- Athletics.
- Became injured.
- Revolved.
- Observes.
- Regretted.
- Inclination of the masts.
- Central point.
- Bag.
- Share out.
- Jot.
- Travelled.
- Produce designs on a plate.
- Owing.

Saturday's Solution.

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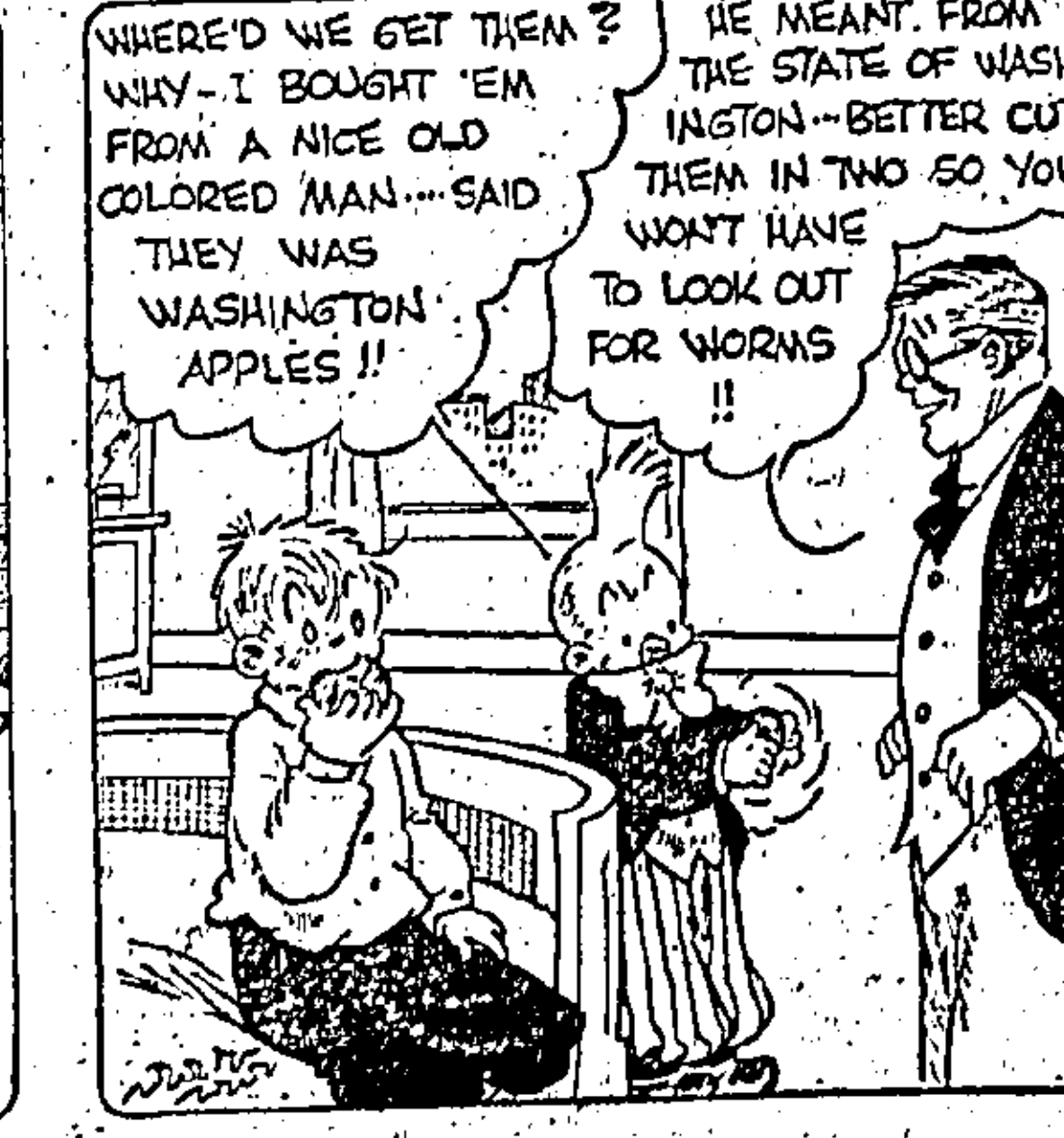
The triangular Interport Rifle Shoot between Hongkong, Shanghai and Singapore has been revived and has again elicited much interest among marksmen in the Colony. The local team fired off on the Stonecutters' Range on Saturday but returned the rather poor score of 845.

but their scores are not yet to hand, while Singapore will be firing during the latter part of the year. The full scores of the Hongkong team were as follows:

	200	500	600	Total
C. P. O. Clarke	33	38	28	99
Guest	28	30	29	87
E. C. McLennan	29	30	31	90
S/M Dunk	27	30	29	86
P. O. Parsons	29	30	28	86
Mne. Counter	27	27	28	82
P. O. Markham	30	24	28	82
P. O. Read	28	27	26	81
Cpl. Warwick	26	29	24	79
Sgt. Harbair	24	29	21	74
E. R. Dovey	22	28	22	72
Police Sgt. Ritchie	20	20	19	59

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E. R. Dovey and Sgt. Ritchie, of the Police, were counted out; thus making Hongkong's score total 845.

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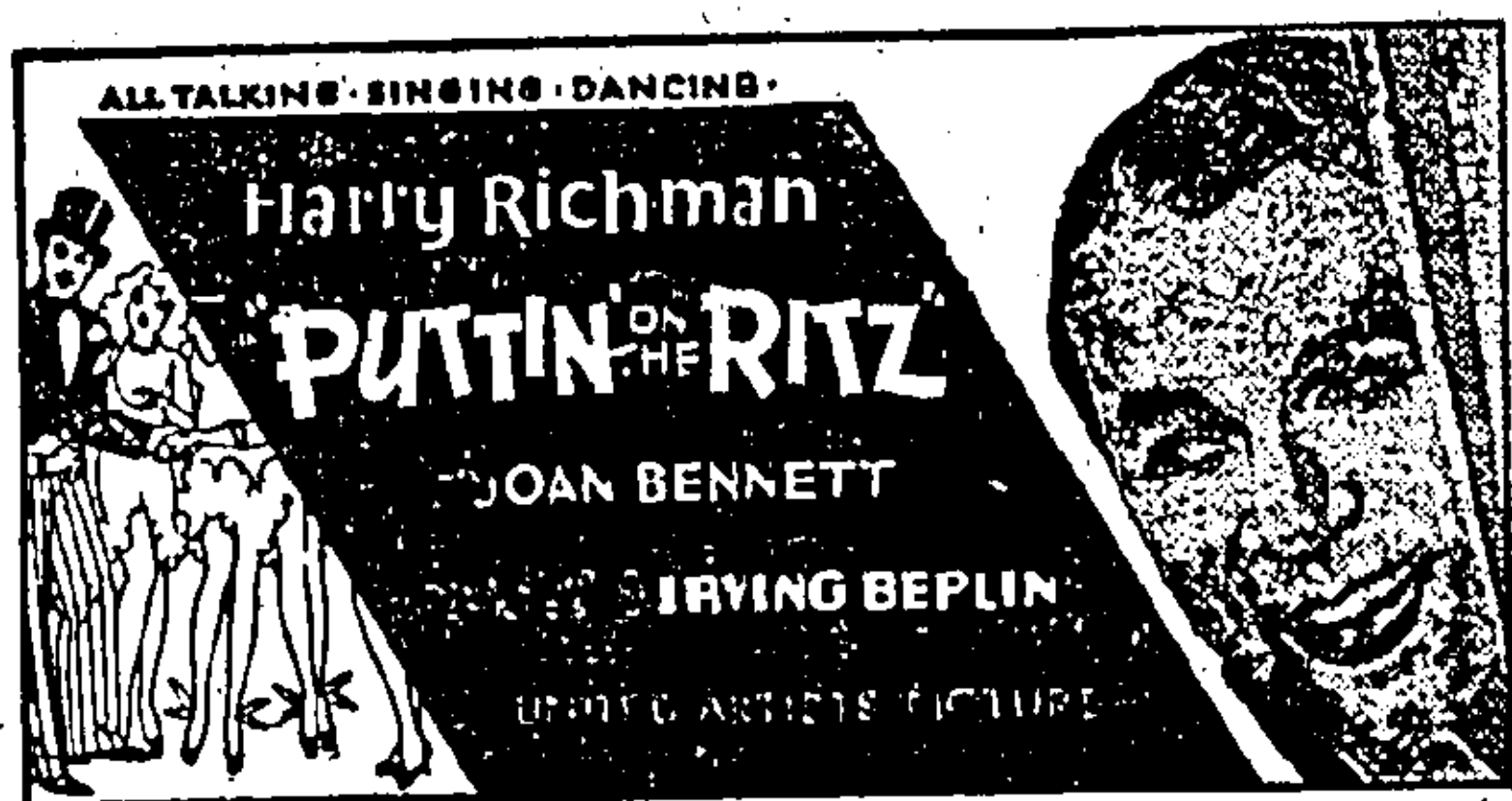
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THE SOUTH CHINA OUTLOOK.

Reports of the campaign the end of which is now announced as the victory of the Kwangtung armies against Kwangsi have been too meagre for an adequate estimate of the victory to be made. Perhaps the Provincial Government never had the intention of subduing their neighbour province, or regarded it as but an objective whose attainment was not of the first importance. They may have sought only to make safe their own frontiers, and in that case they have to some extent succeeded. It is, however, not unlikely that a more satisfying victory was set aside in the interests of some temporary conclusion which would make it possible to set free some troops for the life and death struggle which the Central Government in the North is facing. That, at any rate, would appear to be what has happened. After an advance which resulted in the capture of two towns a little westward of Wuchow, and the consequent pacifying of the corner of the province nearest to the Kwangtung frontier, they have proclaimed a victorious end to the war and come back to enjoy the honours of a triumph. Kwangsi, however, still remains in the hands of enemies of the Nanking regime, and must continue to be a potential danger to Kwangtung, if not by way of Wuchow, then by other routes. Moreover the force under Chang Fat-kwai, which is not at home in Kwangsi as its own provincial armies are and which has an extraordinary record of mobility to its credit, remains at large. Throughout the campaign it has been a mystery force. Rarely has there been definite knowledge where precisely it was, nor what its next objective might be. It is believed to be intact and purpose still.

Meanwhile there is no doubt that the tension of the last two months has relaxed. It has been possible to withdraw troops without loss or immediate danger of renewed activity up the West River. Men are available for the North River, which was so dramatically threatened a few weeks ago by the Tsu and Mo Communists, and further men are available, albeit, it would appear, in no great numbers, for the Svatow hinterland. Still more significant

is the ending of men North. It is important for the Nanking Government to muster all its strength for the big battles ahead. It remains to be seen now whether the campaign on the national stage can be speedily brought to a climax. In particular will the Government, having delayed striking till they judged the moment had come, now carry the campaign through to a decisive finish, and not patch up a "peace" which will only be a prelude to another campaign a few months later? On the provincial stage the question is: Will the war in the main centre be finished quickly enough to prevent the recrudescence of the inter-provincial conflict, and to allow the growing menace of Communism in Hunan and Kiangsi, with the borders of Fukien, and Kwangtung, to be met? These are questions which only the future will disclose.

At the moment, no decision has been reached in the trial of strength between the Nationalists and the insurgents in the North, although it is apparent that both sides have suffered heavily in the recent battles, which have been marked by some very severe fighting. We can only hope that the issue will soon be decided, and that the longed-for peace will soon come. Happily, the situation in the South appears composed at the moment, but with the withdrawal of so many troops there are still possibilities of trouble arising. The Canton authorities, however, have the good wishes of this Colony in the task which confronts them of preserving peace and tranquility in Kwangtung and the adjacent provinces.

Children and Films.

Children show a reluctance to enjoy films composed especially for their benefit—that is the view of the League of Nations, which has taken up this problem because the cinema industry is nothing if not international and the effects on children are a matter about which Governments are becoming increasingly concerned. That the cinema may be a powerful influence for evil is revealed by the numerous newspaper accounts of children and young people who break the law in trying to emulate the exploits of some film hero or villain. That it has an equally powerful influence for good has long been realised by the teaching profession, and endeavours have been made with varying success to place the film in the service of education. These matters are being studied by the Educational Cinematographic Institute in Rome, under the auspices of the League. The Institute has undertaken a general enquiry into the psychological effect of films on children and this promises to be of the highest interest for all who are concerned with education. In the meantime, it records its discovery of the fact that children consider films a recreation and a pastime and often object to those specially composed for their benefit. They prefer adventure films (journeys, exploration, deeds of daring) which picture life as full of effort, novelty and danger. They are particularly attracted by films in which children play a prominent part. There is a real demand for wholesome films interpreted by children. But to find the type of film for which there is a real juvenile demand is only half of the problem. The other half is the question of the financial inducement for producers of films. Individuals and private organisations concerned with education might establish cinematograph libraries which would purchase and distribute educational films, and such films should be wholly or largely exempt from Customs duties.

In a report to the Police the Rev. R. H. V. Brougham, Chaplain of the Seamen's Institute, states that a yellow mongrel bitch was lost from Barker's Bungalow, Sai Wan, on Saturday afternoon.

DAY BY DAY.

SACRIFICE IS THE SECRET OF BEAUTY, CULTURE AND CHARACTER.—Newell Dwight Hillis.

The B.I. s.s. Talma, from Singapore, is due here on the 5th instant.

A dog which was found wandering at 565, Nathan Road, is awaiting a claimant and is being temporarily kept by Mr. C. E. Barros, at the above address.

Well wishers of the Chinese Young Women's Christian Association will be very pleased to hear that Lady Peel has graciously agreed to become Patroness of the Association.

The death took place at Cornhill, last month, Camberne, of Mr. Dora Hamill Hooker, wife of Mr. George Hooker, a retired captain in the merchant service, who spent many years on the China coast.

Described as a room-boy at 3, Chatham Road, Wai Cho reported to the Police yesterday that sometime between 5 p.m. and 9 p.m. on Saturday somebody stole from his quarters a quantity of clothing valued \$7.

The mistress of a passenger boat was fined \$10 with the alternative of 10 days' hard labour at the Marine Court before the Hon. Commr. G. F. Hole, R.N., this morning for failing to exhibit regulation lights whilst under way in the harbour.

Messrs. A. S. Watson & Co., Ltd., advertise that on Tuesday, the King's Birthday, all departments will be closed. The Hongkong Dispensary, Dispensing Department, will be opened for dispensing prescriptions from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 6 p.m. to 7.30 p.m.

As reported at the time, a revolver was found in a truck which was abandoned on the No. 1 Wharf at the Kowloon Godowns after the arrival in port of the President McKinley on May 23. Before Mr. Whyte Smith at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court this morning, Detective Sergeant Kellett applied for the weapon to be confiscated. His Worship accordingly made the order.

Suffering injuries to the back, Abdullah Cassim, an Indian policeman, was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital in a serious condition yesterday. Whilst bathing, he dived into shallow water at the Lai-chi-kok beach. Lai Shek, who swam out of his depth at Kennedy Town beach at 9 p.m. yesterday and was in difficulties, was also taken to the hospital suffering from immersion.

During the absence of a fellow tenant, a woman of 142, Nan Cheong Street, Shamshui, stole a quantity of jewellery to the value of \$53 from a basket and on her appearance before Mr. Whyte Smith at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court this morning, sentence of two months' imprisonment was imposed. The woman's husband was also before the Court but, there being no evidence against him, he was discharged.

When a bamboo pole on which a Chinese was drying clothes fell out of a window of a house in Main Street, Aberdeen, on Saturday, it nearly struck another Chinese walking in the street below. This was sufficient provocation for a fight and the second Chinese attacked the other with the axes he was carrying. His aim was poor, for he did not inflict even a scratch, but at the Central Magistrate's Court this morning Mr. Lindsell fined him \$5, discharging the other man.

CALCUTTA SWEEP.

NUMBERS WHICH HAVE DRAWN FAVOURITES.

Calcutta, May 31.
The following numbers have drawn horses in the Calcutta Sweep organised on the Epsom Derby to be run on Wednesday. It is understood that the numbers represent the favourite entrants but the names of the horses in respect of each will not be available until to-morrow.

HQ 1435 GH 7820 GH 543
DT 7332 LJ 7188 HQ 6132
HM 266 GB 6016 JM 6302
O 3728 KL 6199 TT 54

It is understood that a ticket bearing the noni de plume "Adeok" has drawn a horse, while one of the three Dillite chances has been drawn by a Calcutta syndicate.—Reuter.

Calcutta, June 1.
It is understood that the following are some of the numbers drawn by leading Derby horses:
Dillite, JO 5794.
Rustom Pasha, GH 1620, GH or GF 2618.
Strongbow, GT 59, GT 9448, WZ 4250.
Silver Flare, GS 2425, F 9288, JK 3406.
Cerulean, EE 9204.
Ballyferia, KL 7641, BB 168.—Reuter.

London, May 31.
Strongbow was scratched for the Derby at 12.30 to-day.—Reuter.

POLICE RESERVE.

ORDERS FOR THE CURRENT WEEK.

Police Reserve Orders by Mr. T. H. King, Acting Inspector General of Police, state:

General.
Revolver Practice.—The regular weekly revolver practice (voluntary) will take place at the Bowen Road Revolver Range on Wednesday, June 4th, from 9.00 p.m. to 10.30 p.m. It will be open to all ranks of the H.K.P., Special Constables, Chinese Company, Hongkong Police Reserve and to all persons holding permits to carry arms.

Chinese Company.
Revolver Practice.—Members of the Chinese Company, who have passed Part 1 and 2 of Training Course, will attend at the Bowen Road Revolver Range on Wednesday evening, June 4th, at 9.00 p.m. sharp for revolver practice under Musketry Instructor E. Carpenter.

Indian Company.
Parade.—All ranks of the Indian Company will parade at Police Headquarters on Tuesday, June 10th, for drill. Fall in at 5.30 p.m. sharp. Dress—White Uniform, belt and cap with white cover. No member may be absent from this parade without leave from the Company Commander.

Flying Squad.
Strength.—Constables R345 M. J. Rull and R326 Li Lu Sang have been permitted to resign having completed one year's service, with effect from May 19th, 1930.

Constable R323 F. L. Parton has been taken on the strength of the Flying Squad, and posted to the Hongkong Section as from May 21st, 1930.

The weekly instructional patrol of the Hongkong Section will take place on Friday, June 6th. Fall in at the Central Police Station at 5.15 p.m. sharp. Dress—Khaki Uniform and Cap with Khaki Cover.

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D.S.P. (R).

STOLE WOOD FOR A SHRINE.

MAGISTRATE'S COMMENT ON JOSS.

When charged with stealing a plank of wood from a house under construction at Kowloon City, a woman who appeared before Mr. Whyte Smith at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court this morning intimated that she required the plank to build a shrine. His Worship remarked that surely she would not get good joss from the shrine if it be made of stolen property. The defendant was bound over to be of good behaviour for one year.

"TANDA" MURDER SEQUEL.

SPECIAL SESSIONS FOR THURSDAY.
A special sitting of the Criminal Sessions will be held on Thursday, at 11.30 a.m., when Yorifichi Hori, alias Yamada, will be charged with the murder of Fung Sau-shan on board the s.s. Tanda on the high seas, on May 5, 1930. The case will be heard by the Puisne Judge (Mr. Justice Wood).

Mr. Leo D'Almeida, jr., instructed by Messrs. Tsag and Hodgson, has been assigned by the Crown to conduct the defence.

EUROPEAN'S LOSS.

WATCH VANISHES FROM SITTING ROOM.
Mr. F. Dannenberg of 21, Cameron Road, reported to the Police the theft of a gentleman's silver watch valued at \$20 which was stolen from his sitting room sometime between 9.30 a.m. and 4 p.m. yesterday. A room "boy," who has since absconded, is suspected.

ALARM ON FERRY.

VAIN SEARCH FOR WOMAN OVERBOARD.

Whilst on her way from Hongkong to Yau-mat at 1 a.m. this morning the alarm was raised on board the ferry Man Hoi that a female passenger had jumped overboard. The boat was manoeuvred for about 35 minutes, but no traces of the woman were found.

The Very Idea!

Apropos of the destruction of old razor blades, a correspondent writes to a Home paper: "Why are some people so anxious to rid themselves of these useful articles which can by a simple trick be constantly re-sharpened? Take a dull blade of the Gillette type and insert it lengthways in a tumbler which has been damped with cold water. Place the forefinger lightly upon the centre of the blade and work the same up and down the curved sides of the glass half a dozen times. Turn over the blade and repeat the process, when you will find that after about six seconds' exercise you will have produced fine new edges to the blade. This is a way to restrain bad temper and to restrict imports."

(For the man who can appreciate it, nothing is more enjoyable than to sit at home and peruse an Ordnance map, declares an enthusiast.)

I care not a jot for the forecast Of what the day's weather may be. The skies may be gloomy and overcast: There's sunshine's own colour for me. As I start from the mill, old and rusty, With eyes that are fondly acute, And let the ubiquitous bus stick To the orthodox, everyday route I wander where saplings are tender, I halt at an inn or a stile, With two slipped feet on the fender At the scale of an inch to the mile.

"Where's old Bill been lately? I haven't seen him for months!" "What! Haven't you 'eard' He's got three years' for stealin' a horse?" "What did he want to steal a horse for? Why ever didn't he buy 'im an' not pay for 'im like any other gentleman?"

Ex-Sergeant-Major (in charge of employment exchange, interviewing applicant for a job): "And what were you in during the war?" Twenty-six-year-old applicant: "Knickerbockers, sir."

EXCHANGE RATES.

	London, June 1.
Paris	123.93
Brussels	34.515
Amsterdam	129.4
Berlin	20.36
Copenhagen	18.165
Vienna	34.46
Helsingfors	193
Lisbon	108.25
Bucharest	318
Buenos Aires	42.4
Shanghai	1/7 1/2
Yokohama	2/0 1/2
New York	4.85 29/32
Geneva	25.215
Milan	92.74
Stockholm	18.115
Oso	118.55
Prague	163 1/2
Madrid	29.895
Athens	375
Rio	5.55/64
Bombay	1/5 1/4
Hongkong	1/4 1/2
Silver (spot)	17.7/16
Silver (forward)	17.5/16

—British Wireless.

WHO WAS MONTAGUE TIGG?

Frayed gloves, dilapidated boots, clothes worn shabby and threadbare, hat so old that its original colour was a matter of conjecture, unkempt hair and untrimmed whiskers, such was Mr. Montague Tigg's appearance in the opening chapters of "Martin Chuzzlewit." But before long a marvellous change came over this shabby-genteel ruffian. No longer Mr. Montague Tigg, but Tigg Montague, Esq., he shone resplendent in clothes of fashionable cut, glossy boots and sparkling jewellery; all of him changed, in fact, except his unpleasant nature. The explanation? Mr. Montague Tigg was a sharper. At first unsuccessful, he subsequently rose to affluence by floating a swindling concern called the Anglo-Bengalee Disinterested Loan and Life Insurance Co. By blackmailing Jonas Chuzzlewit, he secured plenty of investors, and was flattering himself that the sun of fortune would henceforth shine on him in perpetuity, when his despairing victim turned upon him and murdered him. Sneak and swaggerer, bully and blackmailer was Mr. Tigg, a thoroughly nasty specimen of the human race, and an economic parasite to boot.

RED FORCES BEING
SCATTERED.ACTIVITY OF GOVERNMENT
TROOPS.

SWATOW ANXIETY.

Swatow, May 28. The return of a limited number of the 61st Division in the last few weeks has eased the situation as against the communists considerably.

The reinforcement of the small numbers which were holding Meishien (Kaiyin) produced a feeling of security where previously something akin to alarm had been felt in view of the continued activity of the force under Tsu and Mo. More recently troops were sent up country from Swatow, to which port they were sent from Canton. These are variously reported to be one or two brigades, and they passed rapidly up to the Ng-fa (Chong-lok) region.

Other troops would seem to have been sent up the East River, for Government troops arrived just in time to relieve the important city of Hin-ling. This place is a key point on the road across from the East River to Meishien and the Chochowfu-Swatow district. The city had already been evacuated before the advancing Communists when the troops arrived in the nick of time.

The detachment sent up from Swatow has checked the increasing activity of the Communists who have been alternately threatening Chong-lok and the borders of Kiyang.

When, however, all this scattered activity of the meagre Government forces has been chronicled the fact remains that the Communists hold the same area that they did before. All that has been done is to hold them off what from a Government point of view are more important districts.

The force under Tsu and Mo which has gained so much notoriety since its successes in the province of Kiangsi a month or two ago is not far away. It is now reported to be within a day or two's march of Meishien. Towards what outlet it will turn next is not clear. Possibly it is waiting on the movements of the Kwangsi armies of Chang Fat-kwai.

The victory of the provincial troops in Kwangsi seems to have been sufficient to relieve the threat along the West River, but it has not broken the enemy. The frontier along south-west Kwangsi has been for the time being cleared of the enemy. It is reported, however, that his return from the north part of the province into the north-western borders of Kwangtung is feared, and dispositions are being made on the North River to withstand a possible attack. It is always possible that the elusive Ironsides may find allies in the Communist bands that so long have been moving freely in the provincial borders.

Much desire is expressed around Swatow for a return of the 61st Division in strength, and its possible diversion to other parts is watched with some anxiety. Part of it is reported to have been drafted to the North River. The proposed sending of men in substantial numbers to the war in the North will inevitably weaken the province's resistance to the enemies on its borders, though it is clear that the needs of the Government in the Northern war are urgent, and make a strong claim.—Our Own Correspondent.

BRANDMAN'S UNIQUE
FEAT.SCORES THOUSAND RUNS IN
MONTH OF MAY.

The phenomenal batting of Don Bradman, the young Australian batsman, who is touring England with the Southerners, has even at this early stage created a record for an Australian in that he is the first player to score 1,000 runs in May and thus joins the select quartette of English players who have performed a similar feat.

Bradman had amassed 954 runs in the first nine matches, in a number of which he had only batted once, and it was felt that unless the Australians batted first on Saturday in their match against Hampshire at Southampton, Bradman would be deprived of a distinction which has not been held by an Australian batsman before.

Hampshire, as luck would have it, won the toss and elected to take first knock. C. V. Grimmett, however, came to the rescue and quickly dismissed the home players, whose total reached 151 runs. The South Australian captured seven wickets for 89 runs thus bringing his total of wickets taken during the season to 52.

When the Australians went in to bat Bradman quickly got set and was soon within eight of his coveted 1,000 runs. When play had finished for the day he had collected 47 runs to bring his total in May to 1,001. He is not out and when stumps were drawn the Australians total stood at 88 runs for the loss of two wickets. In scoring 1,001 runs in the month of May Bradman is the first Australian to achieve the distinction and joins Hayward, Grace, Hammond and Hallows, who are the only players to have previously performed a similar feat.

HOOLIGANISM AT A
THEATRE.HAMMER ATTACK ON PO HING
GATEKEEPER.

BENCH DETERMINED.

That he would try to stop hooliganism at the Po Hing Theatre where quite a number of Chinese have attempted to secure free admission was the promise made by Mr. Whyte-Smith at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning when he sentenced a man to six weeks' imprisonment without the option of a fine on a charge of assaulting the gate-keeper of the Theatre.

According to Inspector Marks, the defendant went to the Theatre at 4 p.m. yesterday and tried to secure free admission. He was stopped by the complainant. The accused left and returned at 5 p.m. with a hammer and started to assault the complainant. An Indian arrived on the scene and the defendant ran away, to be arrested by Sergeant Linden. The hammer had been discarded and could not be found.

His Worship remarked it seemed the usual thing that if a man were not allowed to get into the theatre free he went away and returned with a weapon.

Inspector Marks intimated that the injury was not very serious. The man was taken to Hospital but not detained.

Addressing the defendant his Worship asked what kind of an act it was to force his way into a theatre with a hammer.

The defendant denied that he had a hammer and in reply to a further question said that he did not know that a ticket was necessary.

His Worship replied that a ticket was always necessary when a person went into a place of entertainment.

In passing sentence of six weeks' hard labour his Worship said that he would have to try to stop such hooliganism.

CAR RIDE WITH
COLONEL.WOMAN SECRETARY'S STORY
OF STRUGGLE.

Extraordinary allegations against Lieut-Col. Henry D'Oyley, of Churchill-road, Boscombe, were made by his companion-secretary, Miss Ethel Barton, at Bourne-mouth Police Court.

Miss Barton summoned the colonel for common assault and applied for an adjournment. Objecting to the application, Mr. C. Kemp, Colonel D'Oyley's solicitor, suggested that there was a strong element of blackmail in the case. The magistrates decided that the case was not proved, and dismissed the summons.

Tea in the Car.

Miss Barton said that on April 22 she went for a drive with the colonel in his car. Near Christchurch they stopped, and the colonel made tea.

She refused a cup, and thereupon, she alleged, he became abusive and used horrible language.

He struck her twice with a small portable table and threw a kettle of boiling water over her clothes. "I struggled to get out of the car," she added, "and I broke the side curtain."

Later they drove on, and the colonel held her down with one arm and drove with the other. She broke the windscreen with her foot and eventually went home in a passing car.

Her Real Name.

Cross-examined, Miss Barton said her real name was Ethel Ifron, and that she was the daughter of a Russian Jew.

She denied that she wanted anything to settle the matter, and alleged that the colonel made an offer of £50, which she refused.

Dr. E. Grant, of Boscombe, said that on the evening of the alleged assault Miss Barton visited him. Her only injury was a small abrasion on one finger.

Colonel D'Oyley said that Miss Barton refused to take tea, and that she behaved childishly. She shrieked when he pushed her on the arm and asked her to put the tea things away.

Later she became violent again. He had to hold her, he said, to prevent her injuring herself. The 250 suggestion, he alleged, came from Miss Barton and not from him.

Walter Charles Wilson, of Christchurch, said the colonel's car stopped near where he was cycling. Miss Barton got out. She made no complaint, but the colonel complained of her conduct.

SICK MAN CAUSES
ADJOURNMENT.COMMISSION MONEY CASE IN
SUMMARY COURT.

WAGES DISPUTED.

The case concerning a claim for *cheat tin* money was again before the Painsie Judge (Mr. Justice Wood) in the Summary Court this morning, when the case for the defence was opened. The plaintiff, Wong Shung, alias Wong Tung-shun, No. 44, Bonham Strand East, sues the Kwong Wing Cheong Kuo firm, No. 17, Wing Woo Street, for \$554.80, being \$550 balance of *cheat tin* money due and \$4.80 as an allowance for hair-cutting and shaving. Plaintiff's case concluded at the last hearing. Mr. A. el Arculli is for plaintiff and Mr. F. C. E. Rendall is defending.

In opening his defence, Mr. Rendall pointed out that the firm was one of some substance, with the head office in Hongkong and branches at Penang and Canton. They were engaged in the export trade of marine delicacies. In Hongkong the business last year amounted to something over one lakh. At the beginning of the last Chinese year the business was re-organised and a man named Lo Lin was appointed manager of the Hongkong branch.

On the re-organisation it was decided that instead of the commission money, *cheat tin*, being paid yearly to employees, this should be dispensed with and wages should be increased to almost double.

Plaintiff was engaged at a salary of \$80 a month and not \$100 as he had stated, and there was never any agreement between plaintiff and Lo Lin with regard to *cheat tin* money.

Witnesses for the defence would say that the document produced by plaintiff did not bear Lo Lin's signature and that the chop was the correspondence chop and was not the chop that would have been affixed to the document. Mr. Rendall added that Lo Lin was sick and could not therefore be called.

An accountant employed by defendant firm stated that plaintiff's wages were \$80 a month. Plaintiff was not entitled to *cheat tin* money because when wages were increased that payment was dispensed with, which was before plaintiff joined the firm. None of the employees had received that commission since the re-organisation of the firm.

The case was adjourned *sine die* to enable Mr. Rendall to call Lo Lin when he is well again.

Captain Roger L'Estrange Murray Rede, who died at Cagnes-sur-Mer, had expressed a desire to be buried at sea. His wish was carried out. Covered with a Union Jack, the coffin was taken on board H.M.S. Resolution, his old ship, at Golfe Juan. The vessel immediately put to sea and the body was committed to the deep at a distance of 10 miles from the shore, in the presence of the crew, the British Consul and the chief of police at Nice.

INDIAN UNREST
CONTINUES.15,000 PEOPLE RAID A
SALT DEPOT.

TROOPS CALLED OUT.

Peshawar, June 1. Seven were killed and 9 wounded when police and military were compelled to fire on a mob which attacked them, as a sequel to the accidental discharge of a soldier's rifle, whereby a woman was wounded and her two children killed.—*Reuter*.

Raid by 15,000.

Bombay, June 1. Fifteen thousand volunteers rushed the police cordon in the course of a "final" raid on the Wadala salt depot.

The military were called in, and the raiders were driven back. Twenty-five persons were slightly injured. A number of arrests included eight Sikh women, also Mrs. Munshi, the wife of the former Assembly member who was taken into custody earlier.—*Reuter*.

A number of the raiders succeeded in securing quantities of salt.

The raiders were called off at 1 p.m. by a bugle call sounded by Congress members.

Forty arrests were effected, and include eleven women.—*Reuter*.

Salt Raid Repulsed.

Dharasana, June 1. Mounted and foot police have repulsed a determined salt raid by Gandhi's followers, 106 of whom were injured.—*Reuter*.

Volunteer Camp Seized.

Vederanyam, May 31. The Madras police have taken possession of Satyagraha's camp and arrested 130 volunteers and all the inmates of the central camp.—*Reuter*.

More Communal Outbreaks.

Dacca, June 1. In view of the recrudescence of communal outbreaks many Hindus are departing in a state of panic. The Hindu shops have not been opened despite the efforts of the peace committee.—*Reuter*.

[These outbreaks began on May 25, following a Moslem lad being hit while playing with some Hindu lads. In the first riot thirty Hindus were injured and sent to Hospital, where six died. To preserve the peace, armoured cars patrolled the city. The disorders continuing, such a serious situation was caused that the local authorities wired to the Viceroy for adequate police, "so that the people may feel that they are living under British rule."]

QUEEN'S THEATRE.

"PUTTING ON THE RITZ"
NOW SHOWING.

The picture-goer will find much enjoyment in "Putting on the Ritz" which has been advertised for some time past and which was screened for the first time at the Queen's Theatre yesterday.

The film combines the best that has so far been available in the development of the talkies with the drama of the stage, the whole being varied by song and dance hits, which leave a deep impression with the audience. It is voted one of the best of its kind since the advent of the talkies and should by no means be missed.

"Putting on the Ritz" is being shown until Thursday.

LONDON'S WORST
ROAD TOLL.THREE HUNDRED DEAD IN
THREE MONTHS.

A TRAGIC MAP.

The appalling toll of life and limb that street traffic takes of London's citizens is growing to terrible proportions and the quarterly report on street accidents will show an increase of, roughly, 25 per cent over the figures for the corresponding three months last year.

Statistics show that 251 people were killed in the streets of London in January, February, and March in 1929.

It is estimated by Scotland Yard that the figure for the first quarter of this year will be at least 320. That is the worst record in our history of traffic tragedies.

Lieut-Col. J. A. A. Pickard, secretary of the National Safety First Association, told a *Daily Chronicle* representative that apparently 1930 would set up a new record of casualties.

Swelling the Death Stream.

New motor vehicles are coming on to the roads at the rate of thousands a week to swell the death-dealing stream in London's crowded streets, and a very large proportion of the 2,000,000 new vehicles that it is estimated will be on the roads this year will be registered in London.

It is difficult to assign any reason for the increase in accidents this year. It may be that with less wintry weather more motorists kept their cars on the roads instead of laying them up for the winter. It will be remembered that conditions of ice prevailed during the early months of last year, and there was noticeably fewer cars about.

The Human Element.

The National Safety First Association has made a careful analysis of the statistics, and this has revealed that 83 per cent. of accidents are due to the human element on the part of pedestrians and motorists.

Scotland Yard keeps a watchful eye on the sections of London where the traffic is densest. A giant map that has been made showing the greatest casualty areas is a maze of little crosses, each one of which marks the site of someone's death.

The death map shows that Charing Cross is the worst spot in London, with a death rate of nine persons per furlong. It is followed closely by Newington Butts, with 7.5 per furlong, and High-street, Camden Town, with 7.3.

Year by year the figures go up. In 1920 there were 638 deaths. The figure rose to 1,003 in 1926, and 1,362 in 1929.

THE B.B.C. OF THE
TELEPHONES.PLAN FOR NEW CONTROL
BOARD.

A scheme for the creation of a new statutory body, the Telephone Board, to which the telephone system could be transferred, was launched by the Telephone Development Association.

The present ground of complaint by this body is that the system is wrong, and that this is partly due to political control, but mainly to a "strangle-hold," which, it is claimed, is put on our telephone system by the Treasury.

Mr. H. E. Powell-Jones, secretary and director of the association, in a communication says that nine countries are ahead of us in telephone density.

Among cities of the world with a higher density than London are:

Adelaide, Paris, Havana, Berlin, Copenhagen, Auckland, Helsingfors, Oslo, Stockholm, Geneva.

"The basic fault is the Treasury stranglehold," he says.

Money available for development of the service, year by year, depends not on its needs, but on arbitrary decisions of the Treasury from which there is no appeal.

An explanation of the new scheme put forward by the association is contained in a booklet issued.

The proposed new board would work on similar lines to the Port of London Authority or the B.B.C. Points in the scheme include:

Transfer of entire present personnel to the T.C.B.

System to be run as a commercial concern to give maximum service.

Development by loan flotations, stock to be listed as a trustee security.

Provision to be made for compensation to Parliament for loss of annual revenue.

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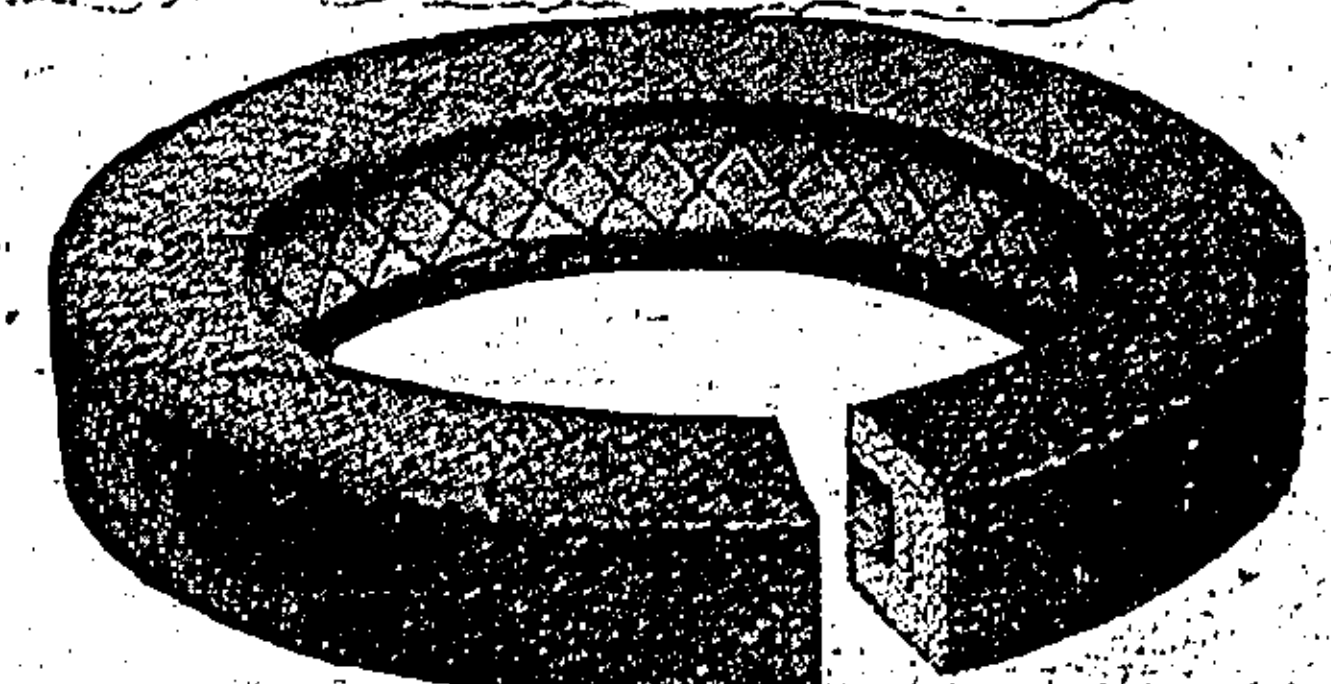
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U.S. BASEBALL

LEAGUE RESULTS AND STANDINGS.

New York, May 23.
To-day's baseball matches re-
sulted as follows:

National League.			
	R	H	E
Philadelphia	1	6	2
Boston	5	8	0
Cincinnati	5	9	0
Chicago	6	9	2

(Others postponed—rain)

American League.			
	R	H	E
Detroit	2	6	3
St. Louis	4	9	0

(Others postponed—rain)

National League.			
	W	L	Pct.
St. Louis	23	14	.622
Brooklyn	22	14	.611
Pittsburgh	19	15	.559
Chicago	20	19	.513
New York	17	18	.486
Boston	15	18	.454
Cincinnati	14	22	.389
Philadelphia	11	20	.356

American League.			
	W	L	Pct.
Washington	27	10	.730
Philadelphia	23	14	.622
Cleveland	22	16	.579
New York	19	16	.543
Chicago	14	20	.412
St. Louis	15	23	.384
Detroit	15	24	.384
Boston	11	24	.314

FROM WINDSOR TO LONDON.

SMITH WINS POLYTECHNIC MARATHON RACE.

London, June 1.
The annual Polytechnic Marathon Race, from Windsor to London, was won by W. Smith (Birchfield Harriers) in 2 hours 41 mins. 55 secs. The American Champion runner Koski, of Finland, was fourth.—*Reuter*.

WORLD'S SCULLING CHAMPIONSHIP.

PHELPS BEATS THE HOLDER EASILY.

London, June 1.
In the World's Professional Sculling Championship, over a course from Putney to Mortlake, Ted Phelps beat Bert Barry, the holder, by 25 lengths, in 22 mins. 45 secs.—*Reuter*.

FRIENDLY TENNIS.

The following will represent the Hongkong Electric Local Staff Association in a friendly tennis game against the Filipino Club to-morrow (June 3rd) on their ground in King's Park, Kowloon, at 4 p.m. sharp: S. A. R. Bux (Capt.), A. R. Minu, H. M. Britto, M. Hassan, D. Mohammed and D. M. A. Razack.

Miss Ellen Wilkinson, M.P., described as of Gt. James-street, Holborn, was fined 20s. at Marylebone for allowing her car to cause unnecessary obstruction in Welbeck-street. It was stated that the car was there for 55 minutes on April 8. Mr. Hay Halkett, the magistrate, said he could not see any mitigating circumstances. Miss Wilkinson did not appear.

THE WORLD OF SPORT.

LEAGUE TENNIS.

NO SUPRISSES REGISTERED ON SATURDAY.

Everything worked out according to "book" in Saturday's league tennis, and those who look for weekly "surprises" were disappointed.

"A" DIVISION.

K.C.C. Open With A Narrow Win.

The Kowloon Cricket Club opened their league programme when they entertained the Hongkong C.C., and, after an interesting struggle, succeeded in winning by the odd set. Scores:—
E. C. Fincher and E. F. Fincher (K.C.C.) beat A. L. Sullivan and L. Goldman 7-5; beat A. D. Humphreys and H. Owen Hughes 6-4; beat O. E. C. Martin and H. J. Armstrong 6-1.
W. Hyde and G. Bodiker (K.C.C.) lost to A. L. Sullivan and L. Goldman 1-6; beat A. D. Humphreys and H. Owen Hughes 6-1; lost to O. E. C. Martin and H. J. Armstrong 2-6.
T. Lay and Guest (K.C.C.) lost to A. L. Sullivan and L. Goldman 2-6; lost to A. D. Humphreys and H. Owen Hughes 4-6; beat O. E. C. Martin and H. J. Armstrong 6-4.

"B" DIVISION.

Royal Engineers' Fine Fight Against I.R.C.

At Sookumpoo, the Indian Recreation Club and the Royal Engineers Sports Club engaged in a most important contest, the result of which will probably have no little bearing on the championship. The I.R.C. strengthened their grip by winning after a keen fight, by the odd set. Scores:—
A. H. Madar and O. Ismail (I.R.C.) lost to Col. Skinner and Lt. Col. Wyatt 4-6; lost to Maj. Tosh and S.M. Atkinson 4-6; lost to Capt. de Linde and Spr. Sabin 5-7.
J. S. A. Curran and S. A. Hussain (I.R.C.) beat Col. Skinner and Lt. Col. Wyatt 6-3; lost to Maj. Tosh and S.M. Atkinson 5-6; beat Capt. de Linde and Spr. Sabin 6-2.
A. H. Ramjahn and A. A. Ramjahn (I.R.C.) beat Col. Skinner and Lt. Col. Wyatt 6-4; beat Maj. Tosh and S.M. Atkinson 6-4; beat Capt. de Linde and Spr. Sabin 6-1.

C.R.C. Still Advancing.

The Chinese Recreation Club enjoyed an easy success over the United Services R.C. at Causeway Bay, winning seven of the nine sets at issue. Scores:—
C. Choa and H. Lo (C.R.C.) lost to Pay Comdr. Payne and Pay Lt. Comdr. Herbert 4-6; beat Lt. Anderson and E. Grimble 6-4; beat Major Caddell and Lt. Black 6-0.
F. K. Lau and W. K. Cheung (C.R.C.) lost to Pay Comdr. Payne and Pay Lt. Comdr. Herbert 3-6; beat Lt. Anderson and E. Grimble 9-7; beat Major Caddell and Lt. Black 6-1.
W. C. Hung and C. C. Chiu (C.R.C.) beat Pay Comdr. Payne and Pay Lt. Comdr. Herbert 6-1; beat Lt. Anderson and E. Grimble 6-3; beat Major Caddell and Lt. Black 6-1.

Recreio's Fourth Win.
In gaining their fourth victory of the season, the Club de Recreio also administered to the Y.M.C.A. their sixth defeat, but the latter made a strong effort to improve their record, and only lost by six sets to three. Scores:—
A. A. Remedios and A. V. Gosano (Recreio) beat T. J. Price and E. R. Price 6-7; beat S. A. Gray and H. Keyserling 6-1; beat G. Puncheon and V. Hast 6-2.
H. A. Noronha and C. Baste (Recreio) lost to T. J. Price and E. R. Price 6-7; beat S. A. Gray and H. Keyserling 6-0; beat G. Puncheon and V. Hast 6-3.

H. A. Barros and F. J. Remedios (Recreio) lost to T. J. Price and E. R. Price 6-7; beat S. A. Gray and H. Keyserling 6-0; beat G. Puncheon and V. Hast 6-3.
Nippon Heavily Defeated.
Entertaining the Hongkong C.C. at King's Park, the Nippon Club were heavily defeated, claiming but one set. Scores:—
Kawamura and Yoshikawa (Nippon Club) lost to Humphreys and R. H. Wild 3-6; lost to T. C. Monaghan and L. T. Ride 9-11; lost to J. A. Summers and Barton 4-6.
Yamakuti and Nakazato (Nippon Club) lost to Humphreys and R. H. Wild 2-6; lost to T. C. Monaghan and L. T. Ride 7-9; beat J. A. Summers and Barton 8-6.
Hosegawa and Fujieda (Nippon Club) lost to Humphreys and R. H. Wild 3-6; lost to T. C. Monaghan and L. T. Ride 2-6; lost to J. A. Summers and Barton 4-6.

Point for the K.C.C.

The Kowloon C.C. were far too strong for the Civil Service, whom they entertained, and won in convincing fashion by seven to two. Scores:—
E. Hamby and L. Jack (K.C.C.) beat F. Bradley and J. A. Bendall 6-4; beat D. M. McDougall and Best 6-3; beat R. K. Valentine and J. W. Balfour 4-6.
A. Mackintosh and W. M. Gittins (K.C.C.) lost to F. Bradley and J. A. Bendall 3-6; beat D. M. McDougall and Best 6-3; lost to R. K. Valentine and J. W. Balfour 3-6.
T. Lee and F. Grosse (K.C.C.) beat F. Bradley and J. A. Bendall 6-4;

beat D. M. McDougall and Best 6-4; beat R. K. Valentine and J. W. Balfour 6-4.

"C" DIVISION.

Chinese R. C. Point the Winning Way.

The Chinese R.C. continued to carry all before them when they visited King's Park, and administered a severe defeat to the Filipino Club, capturing eight out of the nine sets. Scores:—
T. Lee and J. M. Cruz (Filipino) lost to Chao Ping-fan and Ng Kam-chuen 4-6; lost to Ip Kuo-ko and Tsui Wai-pui 4-6; beat Lau Man-ching and Lu Tak-lam 6-4.
E. Cordeiro and L. R. Idefonso (Filipino) lost to Chao Ping-fan and Ng Kam-chuen 0-6; lost to Ip Kuo-ko and Tsui Wai-pui 0-6; lost to Lau Man-ching and Lu Tak-lam 0-6.
D. Baptista and M. Rull (Filipino) lost to Chao Ping-fan and Ng Kam-chuen 3-6; lost to Ip Kuo-ko and Tsui Wai-pui 0-6; lost to Lau Man-ching and Lu Tak-lam 1-6.

University Challenge The Leaders.
By virtue of their defeat of the Civil Service at Pokfulam, the University consolidated their position in the league to such an extent as to prove serious challengers to the present leaders, the C.R.C. Scores:—
H. P. Kho and P. P. Kho (University) beat T. Armstrong and G. H. Fowler 6-2; beat V. H. Freeman and G. J. Mitchell 4-6; beat E. Savage and J. Pengelly 6-4.
K. K. Kho and T. L. Tan (University) lost to T. Armstrong and G. H. Fowler 3-6; lost to V. H. Freeman and G. J. Mitchell 1-6; beat E. Savage and J. Pengelly 6-3.

German Club Eclipsed.

The German Club were eclipsed by the Hongkong C.C. on the latter's courts, losing by nine 'clear sets'. Scores:—
H. V. Parker and M. H. Turner (H.K.C.C.) beat G. Schmidt and E. Precht 6-2; beat O. May and O. Neidt 6-3; beat F. Ortlepp and B. Schroeter 6-1.
G. E. R. Divett and C. H. Bradley (H.K.C.C.) beat G. Schmidt and E. Precht 6-3; beat O. May and O. Neidt 6-1; beat F. Ortlepp and B. Schroeter 6-3.

Reverse for Kowloon I.T.C.

Visiting the Kowloon Indian Tennis Club, the Nippon Club easily accounted for the home team, winning in surprisingly easy style by seven sets to two. Scores:—
Perot Ali and H. S. Mahan Singh (I.T.C.) beat Takemasa and Inakawa 6-3; beat Ishibashi and Kawano 6-1; lost to Hato and Sato 7-9.
Dr. Lal and Firdos Khan (I.T.C.) lost to Takemasa and Inakawa 4-6; lost to Ishibashi and Kawano 2-6; lost to Hato and Sato 5-7.
A. Khan and S. R. Salleh (I.T.C.) lost to Takemasa and Inakawa 2-6; lost to Ishibashi and Kawano 2-6; lost to Hato and Sato 1-6.

LEAGUE TABLES.

(Up to, and including, Sat. May 31st.)

"A" Division.			
	W	L	Pts.
Indian R.C.	2	2	17
Chinese R.C.	1	1	7
Kowloon C.C.	1	1	5
Hongkong C.C.	3	1	23
South China A.A.	3	1	28
Mitsui Bussan Kaisha	2	0	24

"B" Division.			
	W	L	Pts.
Chinese R.C.	7	0	51
Indian R.C.	6	0	42
Royal Engineers	5	4	23
Club de Recreio	5	4	23
Craigengower C.C.	4	3	17
Kowloon C.C.	6	3	24
Hongkong C.C.	5	2	23
Mitsui Bussan Kaisha	4	2	23

"C" Division.			
	W	L	Pts.
Chinese R.C.	7	0	48
Hongkong C.C.	7	5	38
University	5	4	20
Indian R.C.	3	3	12
Club de Recreio	5	3	24
South China A.A.	5	3	24
Nippon Club	3	2	15
Filipino Club	6	2	17
Civil Service C.C.	6	1	16
Kowloon C.C.	5	1	11
German T.C.	7	1	19
Kowloon I.T.C.	6	1	13

Sets.			
	W	L	Pts.
Chinese R.C.	6	0	48
Hongkong C.C.	7	5	38
University	5	4	20
Indian R.C.	3	3	12
Club de Recreio	5	3	24
South China A.A.	5	3	24
Nippon Club	3	2	15
Filipino Club	6	2	17
Civil Service C.C.	6	1	16
Kowloon C.C.	5	1	11
German T.C.	7	1	19
Kowloon I.T.C.	6	1	13

The Radio Sports Club played the hockey team of the Engine Room, H.M.S. Hermes, at Sookumpoo, on Saturday, and won by two goals to one, this being the first victory against the sailors.

BOBBY JONES' SUCCESS.



Bobby Jones, the American golfer, who, by beating Roger Wethered in the final, won the British Amateur Golf Championship for the first time.

LAWN BOWLS.

CIVIL SERVICE STILL UNBEATEN.

The Civil Service team continue their winning form and on Saturday they were successful for the fifth week in succession. They beat the Kowloon Dock by the narrow margin of six shots.

DIVISION I.

Civil Service Have Narrow Win at Kowloon Docks.

The Civil Service overcame one of their hardest obstacles in the first round when they accounted for the Kowloon Dock on the latter's greens, the visitors winning by six shots. Scores:—

Kowloon Dock		Civil Service	
H. G. Cooper	17	Jas. T. Dobbie	10
E. Docherty	18	L. G. Longbottom	10
W. P. Hedley	18	G. C. Moss	10
R. Lapsley	18	J. Gregory	20
W. Greig	18	F. J. Jones	20
D. Keith	18	S. E. Alderman	20
J. Cullen	18	A. H. Oswick	20
W. M. Johnston	11	A. O. Brawn	10
C. Atkinson	11	E. W. Simmonds	10
G. Henderson	11	R. T. Taylor	10
J. McKelvie	11	J. Hollidge	10
F. C. Goodman	23	A. W. Grimmit	19

Craigengower v. Recreio.

The holders won two of the three against the Recreio at Happy Valley and finished up with a victory by 13 shots. Scores:—

Craigengower		Recreio	
F. J. Neves	17	H. A. Alves	15
M. A. R. Sousa	17	L. Gutierrez	15
D. Rumjahn	17	P. Yanovich	15
B. W. Bradbury	17	C. E. Marques	15
E. Tuck	17	A. S. Gomes	15
A. E. Coates	17	L. C. R. Sousa	15
E. el Arculli	17	C. G. Silva	15
U. M. Omar	17	R. F. Luz	21
W. T. Brightman	17	E. L. Barros	21
W. Collins	17	J. Ribeiro	21
C. S. Rossette	17	C. M. S. Alves	21
R. Bana	24	A. Ribeiro	9

Police v. Kowloon C.C.

The Police all but secured their first points of the season when they entertained the Kowloon C.C. They went down by two shots, one on each of two rinks, there being a tie on the third. Scores:—

Police R.C.		Kowloon C.C.	
W. Dall	17	H. Gittins	10
Riddle	17	C. J. Tatchi	10
C. S. Fender	17	A. Hyde-Lay	10
Hargreaves	17	J. Fraser	10
Brittain	17	F. Goodwin	10
G. Alexander	17	B. Petheram	10
F. Marks	17	L. C. Lyal	10
J. C. West	17	L. E. Lammert	22
W. McLeod	17	A. C. Burford	10
McHardy	17	J. Howe	10
F. Nolan	17	H. Greys	10
E. Post	18	A. E. Silstone	19

Taikoo v. Bowling Green.

The Kowloon Bowling Green visited the Taikoo R.C. and lost by the margin of seven shots. Scores:—

Taikoo R.C.		Bowling Green	
G. McLeod	17	D. Muir	10
J. Sloan, Sr.	17	T. West	10
J. Laing	17	E. W. L. Hogbin	10
J. Wallace	17	A. M. Holland	12
J. C. Chalmers	17	Phillips	10
J. C. Polson	17	E. T. Farrell	10
J. Russell	17	H. Nish	10

W. Wethered		17 L. Guy	
J. B. Chapman	17	R. Nicol	15
T. Grimes	17	W. Drake	15
D. Munro	17	H. McTavish	15
N. Drummond	12	D. Gow	20

DIVISION II.

Both Undefeated Teams Take Points on Saturday.

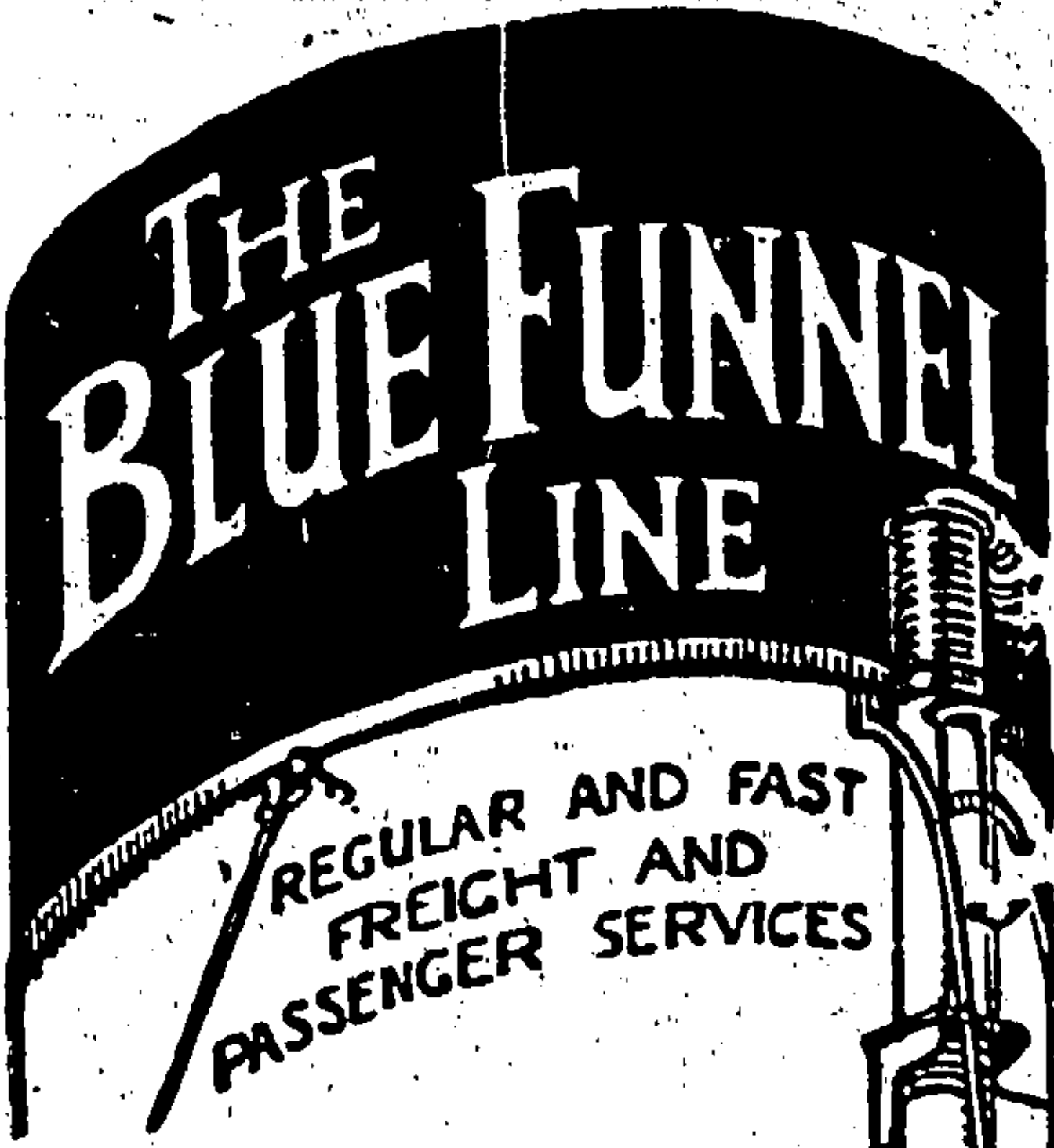
Both the Civil Service and Kowloon Bowling Green, who are the undefeated teams of the Division took points in their games, the Happy Valley team entertaining the Hongkong Electric and winning by seven shots. Scores:—

Civil Service		Electric R.C.	
L. R. Whant	17	S. J. Clarke	10
W. J. Bickford	17	R. Thompson	10
E. L. Holland	17	L. de Rome	10
J. R. Archibald	19	A. F. Paul	21
F. E. Booker	17	W. Stoker	10
H. F. Westlake	17	G. T. Padgett	10
L. E. Luck	17	F. F. Duckworth	10
W. E. Hollands	27	H. Hata	16
F. H. Holdman	17	A. Tarbuck	10
R. R. Wood	17	T. P. Sanderson	10
J. Deakin	17	D. S. Hill	10
F. H. W. Haynes	21	W. H. B. Musket	23

Bowling Green v. Taikoo.

On their own greens the Kowloon Bowling Green Club won from Taikoo by 11 shots, the Hongkong team losing their fourth consecutive match. Scores:—

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CONTRAVENTION OF LIQUOR ORDINANCES.

After several hearings, the charges against four Chinese of having contravened provisions of the Liquor Ordinance were dealt with in the Central Magistracy on Saturday morning by Mr. Grantham.

Wan Yip, licensee of the Po Fung wine and spirit shop, 133 Belcher Street, was fined \$1,500 or six months' imprisonment for dealing in dutiable spirits, but Chan Man-chak (accountant), Kam Wan-yu (assistant) and Lam Wing, proprietor of the Tin Wo distillery were discharged.

When Mr. M. K. Lo, who appeared for the defendants from the wine shop, rose to address the Court at the conclusion of his case, Mr. Grantham intimated that counsel was not entitled to address him again on facts but must confine themselves to points of law.

"While accepting your ruling," Mr. Lo replied, "I respectfully disagree with it." He submitted that there was no case against his clients, and a similar contention was held by Mr. F. X. d'Almada in respect of Lam Wing.

"The books are very strong evidence of fraud," commented Mr. Grantham.

ATTEMPT TO STOP BURMA TROUBLE.

LABOUR ON A FIFTY-FIFTY BASIS.

Rangoon, June 1. The report of the Conciliation Board established by the Government to thrash out details for a settlement of the dispute between Burmese and Andhra dock workers, which led to the recent fatal rioting, states that it has been arranged for stevedores to employ Burmese and Andhra labour on a fifty-fifty basis.

Work in the harbour had been partially resumed this morning, but the majority of Andhras are still holding out.

The Burma Indian Chamber of Commerce has passed a resolution alleging that the police allowed armed Burmans to attack unarmed Indians, and disagreeing with the principle laid down by the Government of compulsory enforcement of any particular labour on employers, also demanding the immediate compensation of innocent sufferers in the riots, while asking Indians not to send further labour to Burma.—*Reuter.*

SIR JAMES BARRIE ELECTED.

CHANCELLOR OF EDINBURGH UNIVERSITY.

London, May 31. Sir James Barrie, the famous author, was yesterday elected Chancellor of Edinburgh University in succession to the late Lord Balfour. He received 4,582 votes as against 2,942 cast for Lord Lifford. Sir James Barrie graduated at Edinburgh University.—*British Wireless.*

LOCAL RADIO.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME OF RECORDS.

To-day's wireless programme, broadcast on a wavelength of 355 metres by Z. B. W.:—
 6.00-7.00 p.m. Chinese programme.
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 7.09 Mi Cielo.

Charmaine.
 7.15 Marimba Centro Americano.
 Musette. Bach. Pablo Casals.

7.21 What Price Lyrics
 From Monday On. Paul Whiteman.

7.27 Cribbilla
 Il Bacio. Luceria Bori.

7.33 Toccata
 Fugue A. La Gigue. Goss-Custard.

7.40 Andantino
 At Dawning. Krelaser.

7.46 Had me down my walking cane
 My horses ain't Hungry. Harrell.

7.53 Vissi D'Arte Maria Jeritza.
 7.58 Hawaiian Love.

8.05 Give me a night in June
 After I've Called you Sweetheart. Marvin-Smale.

8.12 Emperor Waltz
 Gold and Silver. Nat. Shikret Orchestra.

8.20 Vidallita
 La Lucciolle. Dal Monte.

8.26 Gavotte
 Theme Varie. Segovia.

8.34 The Sweetest Call
 Moonlight and Roses. McCormack.

8.40 Prelude to Act 3
 (Tannhauser). Albert Coates Symphony Orchestra.

8.48 Gypsy Love Song
 Luna. Werrenrath.

8.54 Die Almacht
 The Lost Chord. Kimball. Organist.

9.00 Weather Report
 9.08 Lucia Sextette.

9.13 Rigoletto Quartette.
 Galli-Curci-Homer-Gigli-De Luca.

9.18 Lyric Suite. Greig.
 Royal Albert Hall-Orchestra.

9.30 Hawaiian Dreams
 Honolulu Moon. Hilo Hawaiian Orchestra.

9.36 Floyd Collins B
 Country Dance. Dalhart Trio.

9.42 Girl of my Dreams
 Ramona. Gene Austin.

9.48 Marche Slave.
 Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra.

9.54 These Songs My Mother used
 to sing. Gansky.

10.03 Seaside Dance
 Old time Dance. Henry Ford's Dance Orchestra.

10.10 Five Pennies
 Harlem Twist. Red Nichols Orchestra.

10.16 Love-Tide of Spring.
 Luceria Bori.

10.24 At Evening.
 Letter of Love. Mischa Elman.

10.30 Close down.

EARTHQUAKE IN JAPAN.

TOKYO SHAKEN BUT NOT SERIOUSLY.

Osaka, June 1. An earthquake which was felt in Tokyo, where it was fairly strong, but did not cause any serious damage, was not felt in Nagoya, Kyoto, Osaka and Kobe.—*Reuter.*

Stockholm, June 1.

The Cabinet is about to resign, following the rejection by both Chambers of the proposal to raise the duty on imported wheat.—*Reuter.*

IMPROVED FERRY SERVICE.

TWIN LAUNCHING AT KOWLOON DOCK.

A unique event took place at the Kowloon Docks on Saturday morning when two new ferry vessels were launched within half an hour of each other, by the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company Limited, at Hung Hom, for the Hongkong and Yumati Ferry Company Limited.

The vessels were launched quietly and without any ceremony, in the presence of the Directors of the Ferry Company and officials of the Dock Company, and it is believed this is the first time that such an event has taken place in Hongkong.

The particulars of the vessels are as follows:—Length 116 feet, beam 28 feet and a speed of 10 knots. They are fitted with electric lighting, balcawatt balanced windows, and the upper decks are covered in with a wooden awning. In appearance they are similar to the "Northern Star" of the Star Ferry Company.

It is expected that the vessels will be placed on the Yumati service by the middle of July.

ROYAL ENGINEERS DINNER.

A RE-UNION AT THE PENINSULA HOTEL.

A successful re-union of past and serving Royal Engineer Officers was held at the Peninsula Hotel on Thursday evening last.

The dinner was dated to coincide with the Annual Dinner held at the May Fair Hotel in London and telegrams of greeting were exchanged with brother officers dining in London as well as with those at Shanghai.

Colonel R. B. Skinner, O.B.E., Chief Engineer, China Command, presided and the following attended:—Messrs J. L. Adams, O.B.E., A.M. Anstruther, J. T. Bagram, E. G. Dale, F. J. Easterbrook, M.C., Lt. Colonel W. F. Hanna, M.C., Mr. F. R. James, M.C., Mr. M. A. Johnson, Major W. A. F. Kerrich, D.S.O., M.C., Captain C. A. de Linde, Messrs D.G.G. Macdonald, P. T. Mahony, J. B. Marks, O.B.E., C. J. Martin, R. S. W. Patterson, H. J. Pearce, M.C., A. B. Raworth, Leslie Ross, A. E. Stone, Major J.C.P. Tosh, M.C., and Lt. Colonel F. J. C. Wyatt, O.B.E., M.C.

THE OLYMPIC GAMES.

SWIMMING CONCLUDES THE MEETING IN JAPAN.

Tokyo, May 31.

At the Olympic games to-day, fine performances made by Ikafonso and Jikrum in the 200 yards' breast stroke race, prevented Japan from sweeping all the swimming firsts. Both Filipinos finished ahead of the Japanese champion, Tsuruta, the race proving a thrilling finale to the games. The scores for the swimming were: Japan, 62; Philippines, 20; China, 4. The games' contestants and officials were the guests this afternoon of Prince Chichibu at a garden party. The closing ceremonies take place to-night, and the Chinese contingent sails for Shanghai on Monday on the Tatsuta Maru.—*Reuter.*



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Shanghai, May 31.
Mr. Jack Harder, one of the
victims of the piratical attack
made on Whangpoo Conservancy
launch on the 30th inst., died this
morning.

Mr. Harder was educated at St.
Peter's University, Adelaide and
had a fine record. He was
formerly Captain of the Engineers'
Company of the Shanghai Volunteer
Corps.

Mr. Irvine is in a very serious
condition, but there is a slight
chance of his recovery.

The pirates used soft-nosed
bullets, emptying the entire
magazines into their prostrate
victims.

Mr. Harder's wife and child are
believed to be residing in the
suburbs of London and his mother
is in the United States of America.

Shanghai Municipal Council
Police made 17 arrests at Chinese
hotels this morning in connection
with yesterday's piracy at Whang-
poo.—*Reuter.*

In a message received on Friday
from our own correspondent the
death of Mr. Irvine was announced
as having taken place on Friday
afternoon. In a subsequent mes-
sage he stated that that report was
not true, and that Mr. Irvine's con-
dition was in fact slightly better
on Sunday morning. He also an-
nounces that Mr. Harder passed
away, in spite of all that could be
done for him by surgical science,
and the blood transfusion given
him, at 9.30 on Saturday morning
at the General Hospital.

**NEW INDO-CHINA
OUTBREAK.****COMMUNIST INFLUENCE
EVIDENT.**

Paris, May 31.
Fresh trouble has broken out in
French Indo-China. Three peo-
ple were killed and two wounded
in a conflict between the police
and 1,000 demonstrators at Chom-
gi, 125 miles north-west of Saigon.

The demonstrators, brandishing
bamboo sticks and native knives,
were led by men carrying a ban-
ner inscribed: "We Refuse to pay
taxes."

When the police attempted to
arrest the banner-bearers the
crowd assumed a threatening at-
titude. In response to a warning
to desist they were assailed by a
rain of bamboo sticks, whereupon
the police fired a volley. The de-
monstrators thereupon fled.

Probably there are others
wounded than those picked up,
hiding in the neighbouring rice
fields. Tracts with the Moscow
symbol of the sickle and hammer
were found on the dead and
wounded.

Another Demonstration.

At another demonstration at
Omon, Cantho Province, a Dis-
trict Officer was surrounded by
1,600 natives, but extricated him-
self, ordering his men to fire into
the air. Fifteen demonstrators
were arrested.—*Reuter.*

**KOREAN COMMUNISTS
BREAK LOOSE.****BUILDINGS BURNED AND
COMMUNICATIONS CUT.**

Seoul, June 1.
Rengo is authority for the infor-
mation that the police have issued
a communique stating that a band
of 100 Korean communists bombed
and set fire to the Korean Associa-
tion buildings and schools, and the
Japanese consulates. They de-
stroyed communications and the
electric light plants in Yenki,
Lunghingsun and several other
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The Chinese military and
Japanese police have driven out
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Tuesdays and Fridays between the
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and all Goods remaining undelivered
after the 5th June, will be subject to
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must be presented to the undersigned
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will not be recognised.

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Hongkong, 30th May, 1930.

**ANGLO-DUTCH TIN
CONTROL.****COUNCIL OF PRODUCERS TO
REGULATE OUTPUT.**

London, May 31.
The Council of the Tin Producers'
Association announces that
Messrs. F. J. Houwert and J.
Van der Broek of Billiton, Dutch
East Indies and Messrs. F. E. Mair
and C. V. Stephens, representing the
Planters' Association, Malayan
Sections, will sit as a special Com-
mittee appointed to deal with the
regulations governing tin output
in the world.

There are also two Bolivian and
one Nigerian representatives. It
is stated that the Committee has
completely agreed to all points but
has yet to make public any fresh
recommendations.—*Reuter.*

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**HINDENBURG WINS
LIBEL SUIT.****SOCIALIST EDITOR IS FINED
800 MARKS.**

Berlin, May 31.
A libel action, in which Marshal
Hindenburg is plaintiff and the
National Socialist, Herr Goebbels,
is defendant opened in an excited
atmosphere to-day. It relates to
an extremist newspaper article by
Goebbels vehemently attacking the
President's attitude to the Young
Plan and accusing Hindenburg of
undue friendship to Jewish and
Marxist advisers. It is surmount-
ed by a caricature of the President
headed "The saviour looks on."
Counsel for the defence unsuccess-
fully demanded the withdrawal
of two Jewish Judges.—*Reuter.*

Editor Fined.

Berlin, June 1.
Herr Goebbels has been fined
800 marks. The Public Prosecu-
tor pointed out that there were 24
libel actions pending on behalf of
President Hindenburg.—*Reuter.*

ZEPPELIN IN U.S.**GERMAN AIRSHIP ARRIVES
AT LAKEHURST.**

New York, May 31.
The Graf Zeppelin has arrived at
Lakehurst.—*Reuter's American
Service.*

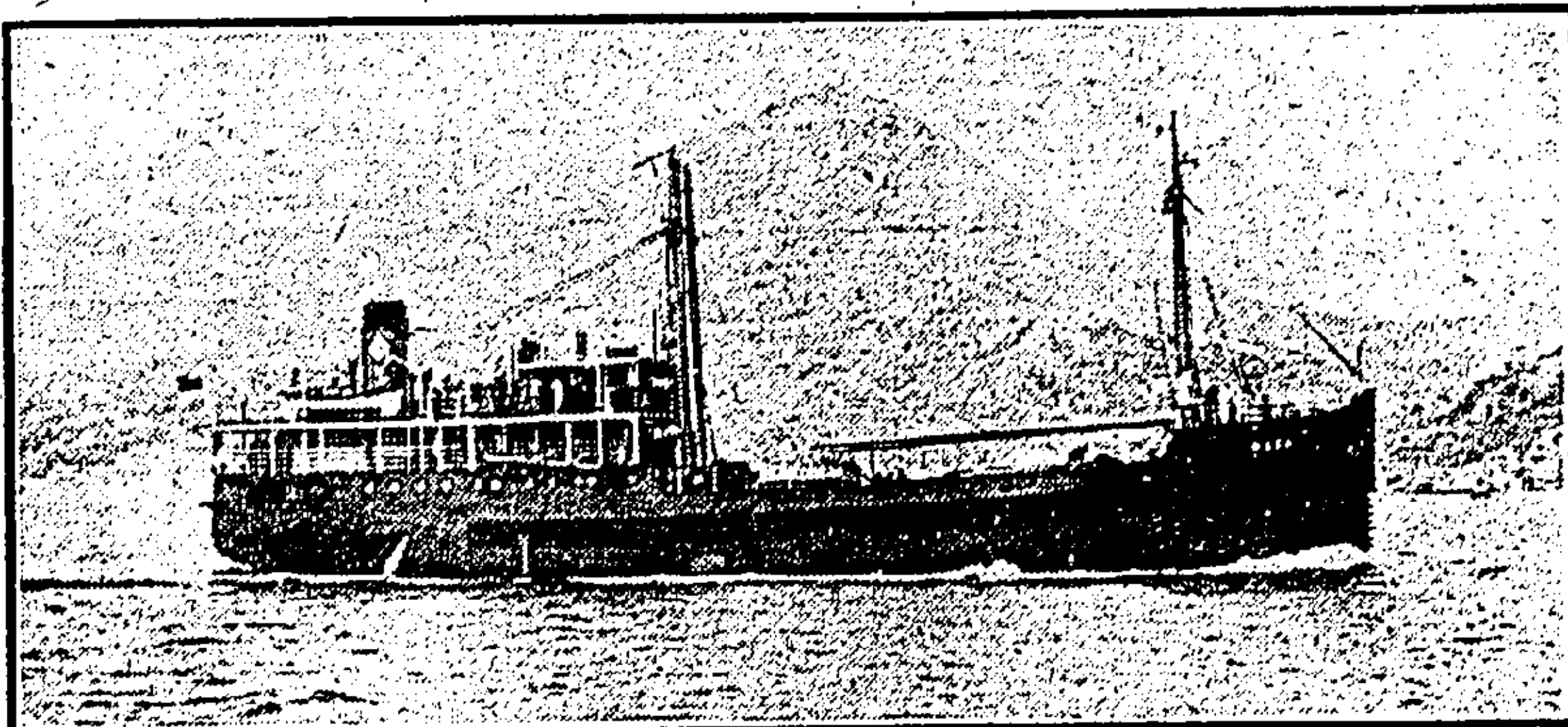
Lakehurst, June 1.
It is learned that the Graf Zepp-
elin was damaged by a storm in
the course of her flight here from
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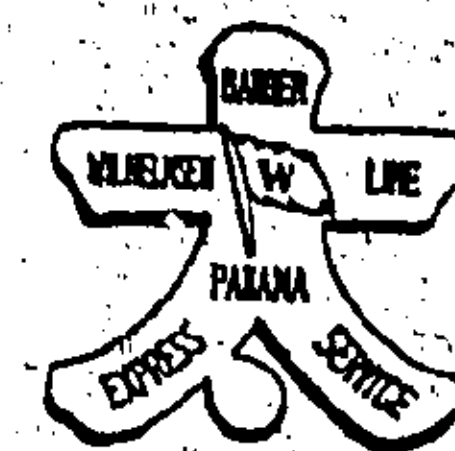
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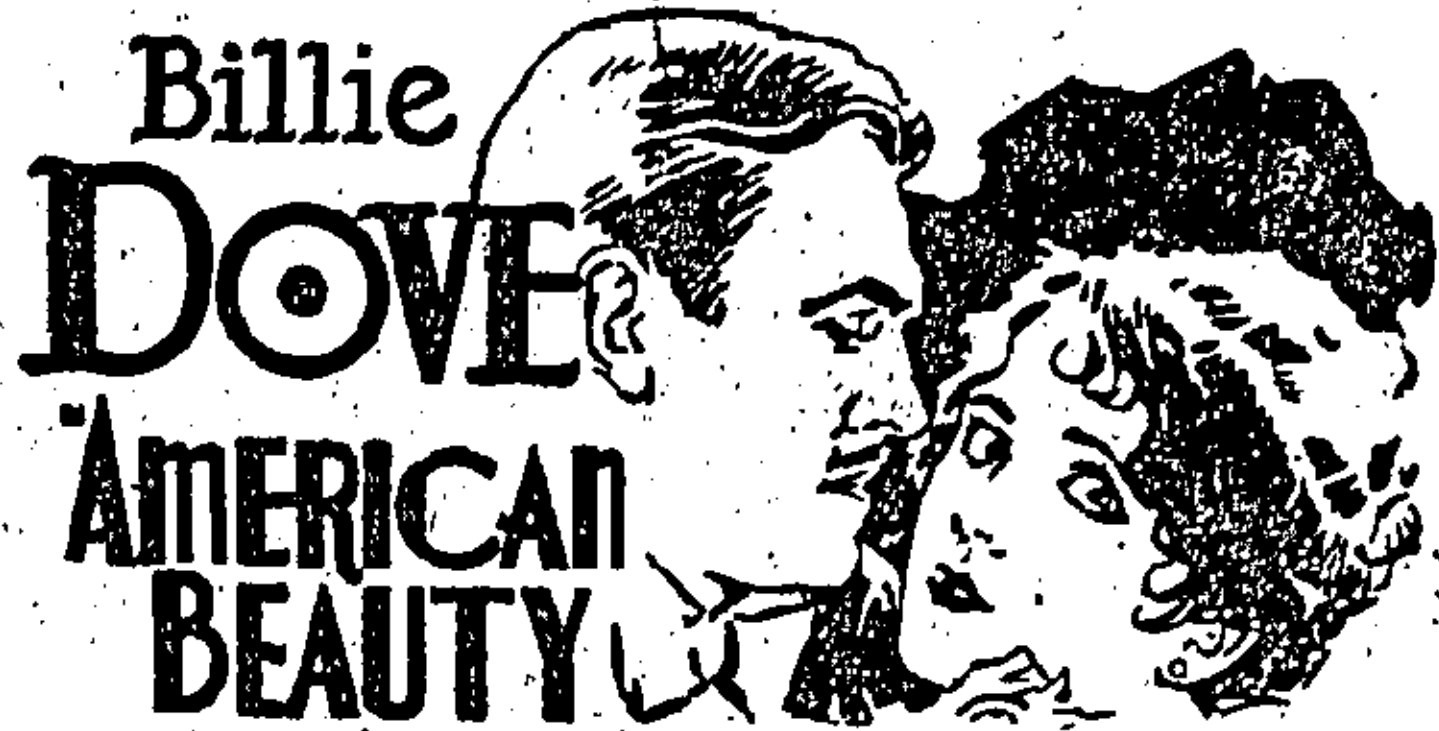
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BIG NEWSPAPER FUSION.

DAILY NEWS AND THE DAILY
CHRONICLE.

ONE LIBERAL ORGAN.

London, June 1.
The Daily Chronicle will amalga-
mate to-morrow with the Daily
News under the title of the Daily
News and Chronicle.

The combined circulation of the
two papers is 1,600,000 daily and
the fusion will create a great
Liberal newspaper.—*Reuter*.

The new journal will really re-
present the fusion of four news-
papers. Several years ago the
Daily News amalgamated with the
Morning Leader, the paper thence-
forth being known as the Daily
News and Leader. On February
1, 1928, the Daily News amalga-
mated with the Westminster Gazette
and from that time the paper has
been known as the Daily News and
Westminster Gazette. Just as the
old Leader vanished from the title,
the name of the Westminster
Gazette is now to vanish.

The latter was formerly an
evening paper published in London
and distinguished from its con-
temporaries by its green paper.
It changed hands some years ago
and became a morning paper, still
retaining its Liberal attitude.

The announcement in 1928 that
the Westminster Gazette would
cease to exist as a separate news-
paper, becoming absorbed into the
Daily News, fell with the effect of
a bombshell in Fleet Street, the
staff hearing of the change only a
few hours before it took place.
The unexpected disappearance of
the Westminster Gazette made a
profound impression, but those re-
sponsible for the amalgamation
considered that the position of
Liberalism would be strengthened
considerably by the amalgamation
of two Liberal newspapers.

Now that the Daily Chronicle and
Daily News cease to exist as sepa-
rate entities there is only one
national Liberal newspaper.

NEGRO CHOIR IN THE ABBEY.

TRIBUTE AT TOMB OF
LIVINGSTONE.

MOVING SCENES.

"Don't be weary, traveller, come
along home to Jesus!"

Tears came to the eyes of some
in the great congregation at West-
minster Abbey, as they listened
to the impassioned singing of
negro men and women in this
moving anthem of their race.

Here, in the heart of England's
spiritual life, in the holiest shrine
of her history, the 27 women and
25 men of the Hampton Choir,
Virginia, were honoured guests.

Before their own little service
began, they sat in the choir of the
Abbey and listened with a tense
expression to every word, and to
every note of music in the after-
noon services.

Hampton Institute was founded
in 1860 to educate newly freed
slaves, and these young men and
women, who have been studying
various trades, different branches
of business, and agriculture are
now beginning a European tour.

Their singing is famous in
America, but no engagement on
their long tour will give them
greater happiness or pride than
the invitation of the Dean of West-
minster, Dr. Forley Norris, which
made it possible for them to sing
in Westminster Abbey.

At Livingstone's Tomb.
After the service, the negro
singers were grouped round the
tomb of David Livingstone.

They were followed by a multi-
tude of people, among whom
were many members of the colour-
ed races in London, who looked
on that day as a day to make
history.

The singers were welcomed by
the Dean, who then invited two of
the choir to place wreaths on the
tomb of the man who so long ago
fought for the rights of slaves in
Africa.

The Great Appeal.

Then came some of the sweetest
and most passionate singing the
Abbey has known.

Not one in the crowd round
these coloured singers is likely to
forget their changing moods, the
rise from a note as soft and gentle
as a whispered prayer to the great
burst of triumphant music as the
voices cried again and again,
"Come along home to Jesus!"

At the close of the anthem the
negroes listened with bowed heads
as the Dean said a prayer of com-
memoration of the life and work
of Livingstone.

Then, with the Benediction, the
service ended, and the negro
singers went out in the radiant
sunshine, and with sunshine in
their hearts.

REGISTRATION OF MUI-TSAI.

NEARLY FOUR THOUSAND UP
TO DATE.

DISCREET POLICY.

The period of six months allowed
by the Ordinance for the registra-
tion of mui-tai expired on Satur-
day evening, and the number
registered, according to figures
supplied by the courtesy of Mr.
A. E. Wood, of the S.C.A., is 3,899.

Mr. Wood explained to a *Telegraph*
representative that this total in-
cluded all registrations at Police
Stations, the Tung Wah and
Kwong Wah Hospitals, but did not
include the registrations effected
at the District Office, Taiipo.

Mr. Wood said he had not yet
received the figures from Taiipo
but he confidently anticipates
that the number will be sufficient
to bring the grand total up to and
perhaps over the 4,000 mark.

Our informant stated he con-
sidered the response to be a good
one and he had reason to think
that there were now any un-
registered mui-tai in the Colony.
The Government fully intended to
enforce the Ordinance, but for a
brief period during the beginning
of the present month discretion as
to prosecutions would be used in
the event of the late registrations,
after enquiry into the circum-
stances of any particular case.

According to the census of 1921,
there were then 3,653 mui-tai in
the Colony, of whom 5,959 were
under 14 years of age. The anti-
cipated total number of registra-
tions, 4,000, is a considerable drop
on the figures of nine years ago,
but it seems likely that when the
1921 census was taken the status
of mui-tai was not strictly
separated from the status of other
girls very similar to mui-tai.
Another reason which might
account for the disparity is that
well-to-do families have probably
either handed back their mui-tai
to their parents or taken them to
the country, to save the bother of
registration and to prevent any
trouble arising therefrom.

NANKING SUFFERS HEAVILY.

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ty in the event of a Shansi attack
against Tsinanfu, which seems to
be most probable.

The meeting decided to approach
the foreign Governments asking
for more troops at Tsinanfu and
also decided to store large con-
signments of foodstuffs as a pre-
caution against a siege by the
Shansi invaders.

Rebels in Changsha.

Hankow, May 31.
It is reported that the Kwangsi
troops under Li Chung-yan, after
a spectacular advance, reached
Changsha yesterday, the Nation-
alist troops retiring without re-
sistance.

The Wu-Han authorities are
expediting defensive works par-
ticularly south of Wuchang and
recalling all available troops.

Numerous bandit armies com-
plicate the situation. It is be-
lieved that these armies are
organised by the same Soviet
agents who were present in 1927.
Some have been recognised in the
district.

Martial law has been declared
in Hankow.—*Reuter*.

WATER LEVELS.

ON WEST, NORTH AND
EAST RIVERS.

The following table, issued by
the Kwangtung River Conservancy
Commission, shows in English feet
the water levels on the West
River, North River and East
River, on the dates named:

May 31. June 1.
Shiuhing 15.3 —
Tsingyuen 9.1 8.5
Samshui — —
Sheklung 3.4 —
On May 30th, the level at Sam-
shui was 14.1.

The highest levels on record are:
—Shiuhing, 41 feet; Tsingyuen,
29.2 feet; Samshui, 27.3 feet; Shek-
lung, 15.5 feet.

The lowest level on record at
Samshui is—6 feet and at Shek-
lung—2.7 feet.

One of the Broadmoor Criminal
Lunatic Asylum's oldest inmates,
Peter Murphy, has died there, aged
90. He was convicted at the Old
Bailey in 1875 for malicious
wounding, and sentenced to de-
tention during her Majesty's plea-
sure. Murphy, who played the
big drum in the asylum band for
30 years, was an expert cutter,
and worked in the tailor's shop.
He lived in the same block as
Ronald True.

PARADE OF RIFLE BRIGADE.

JUBILEE OF COMMAND OF THE
DUKE OF CONNAUGHT.

COLONEL-IN-CHIEF.

London, June 1.
The Duke of Connaught, who
passed his eightieth birthday a
month ago, celebrated yesterday
afternoon his fiftieth year as
Colonel-in-Chief of the Rifle
Brigade.

A special jubilee parade of the
regiment, with its attached terri-
torial battalions, was inspected in
Hyde Park by the Duke. Fourteen
hundred ex-Servicemen of all
ranks, drawn by an invitation
broadcast last week, assembled
and marched past their old
Commander.—*British Wireless*.

H.R.H. the Duke of Connaught
was born at Buckingham Palace
on May 1, 1850. He is the only
surviving son of Queen Victoria.
Trained at the Royal Military
Academy, the Duke joined the
Royal Engineers as Lieutenant in
1868 and then after a short period
in the Royal Artillery passed to
the Rifle Brigade. During his
long service he took part in the
suppression of the Penian rising
in Canada and the war in Egypt
when he participated in the de-
cisive battle of Tel-el-Kebir as
commander of the Brigade of
Guards.

He later spent several years in
India and in 1899 renounced his
succession to the German Duchy
of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha rather
than sever his connexion with the
Army. He was promoted Field
Marshal in 1902 and in 1911 went
to Canada as Viceroy and
Governor-General. He allowed
himself to be prevailed on to re-
main in Canada for a second
term, leaving the Dominion in
1916.

As Field Marshal, the Duke re-
mained on the active list and in
June 1928 the Army Council con-
gratulated him on having com-
pleted sixty years' military ser-
vice.

HUNT FOR £6,000 THIEVES.

CLERK UNCONSCIOUS IN
A CARRIAGE.

BATTERED HAT.

The mystery of an unconscious
railway clerk found in a Southend
train and the disappearance of
£6,000 in his charge was the sub-
ject of investigation by Superin-
tendent Brown, of Scotland Yard,
and Detective-Inspector Lawrence,
of Linchouse.

Arthur Dennis, aged 34, employed
by the L.N.E.R., was found un-
conscious in a first-class compart-
ment of a train when it reached
Maryland Point.

He had started from Liverpool-
street with £6,000, made up in
wages packets. The money was to
be paid to station staffs.

When the train pulled up at Mary-
land Point, the stationmaster and a
clerk made a search through the
first-class compartments and found
Mr. Dennis unconscious, with the
cash boxes empty, save for about
£10 in copper.

One of the station staff said that
Mr. Dennis always took that train
on Thursday morning.

"When they looked for him," he
said, "they pulled open the door of
a carriage and he was lying huddled
up in one corner. The cash boxes,
made of heavy wood and bound with
iron, were empty. The keys were
still in the locks."

"Mr. Dennis's hat, which lay on
the seat, had been battered about.
A piece of lead piping was found
under the seat."

The unconscious man was taken
to Queen Mary's Hospital, Strat-
ford, where he remained in a state
of coma for several hours.

Detectives waited at the hospital
for Mr. Dennis to regain conscious-
ness.

When he had recovered he made
a statement to Detective-Inspector
Lawrence and Superintendent Cor-
nish.

In this Mr. Dennis referred to
an attack made on him by two men.
The railway police followed a
clue concerning two men who were
seen boarding the train at Liver-
pool-street Station while it was on
the move.

It appears they attacked Mr.
Dennis between Liverpool-street
and Stratford, took his keys and
escaped with the money before the
train reached Maryland Point.

Formerly the pay clerk was ac-
companied by a policeman when
taking money on railway journeys,
but this practice had been discon-
tinued.

Porters gave the police a descrip-
tion of the two men.
Mr. Dennis, who lives with his
wife and mother-in-law at Brighton,
"has been in the employ of the
L.N.E.R. since he was a boy."

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